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St. Mary-St. Mark School may close

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

MADISON — The future of St. Mary-St. Mark School slipped quietly from the hands of a parish committee into the hands of parents Wednesday night.

The closing of the school at the end of this school year, rumored for several weeks, was the topic of a meeting held in the school's cafeteria.

Whether or not the rumor becomes a reality rides on next year's enrollment. Forms of intent requiring a \$75 deposit were distributed and are to be returned by May 1. Teachers will be notified of their contract status by May 10.

"If we only have 20 kids enroll, obviously we can't have a school," George Pressey, director of elementary education for the Office of Catholic Education, said.

The school presently has two attendance centers, the St. Mary's site at 912 Lee St., Madison, and the St. Mark's building at 600 Broadway, Venice. It has been known jointly as St. Mary-St. Mark for some time. Pressey has chaired a parish committee that has been studying the fate of the Catholic school since January.

Related church parishes, known as St. Mary's and St. Mark's, were not included in the study.

"We don't have a magic wand to make everything right but we want to

continue a small, Catholic school in this area," Pressey said.

About 45 concerned parents and faculty listened to the committee's recommendations, modified and approved by Bishop Daniel Ryan.

The plan calls for:

1. St. Mary's School to be the only attendance center. A plan would be developed for "disposal of the Venice site" at 600 Broadway. The school will retain the St. Mary-St. Mark name. Pressey said that ideally the 31-year-old St. Mark's School will be sold.
2. The establishment of a school board and of a scholarship fund to financially assist families with more than one child at the school.
3. Setting a budget for the school year, including operating costs, and strictly adhering to it.

"To do this, we must increase income and decrease expenditures," Pressey said. "I think we have come up with a plan to do both things."

Tuition will increase for parishioners from a minimum weekly church donation of \$15 to \$750 annually plus a minimum weekly church donation of \$5. For two or more children, the tuition is \$1,000 plus the donation.

For non-parishioners, tuition will increase from \$1,000 to \$1,500 annually. For each additional child, \$1,000 will be charged annually.

Pressey said the committee hopes to

establish a payment plan this summer to help with the increased costs.

The school currently has 128 students, 54 percent of which are non-Catholic.

Other cost-cutting measures will include combining some grade levels, as the seventh and eighth grades are at St. Mark's. An alternative to the hot lunch program is being sought and the music and physical education programs will be cut to some extent.

The school will also no longer have a full-time principal, Sr. Mary John Pupava, who has served as principal for three years, will return to a teaching position. In her stead, a full-time teacher will be appointed to serve as principal should the school remain open.



WELCOME TO DOGPATCH: Granite City High School students rehearse for the play "Abner," based on the adventures of the cartoon character created by Al Capp. Performances will be at 7:30 tonight and Friday night in the high school auditorium. Tickets are \$3. Lead characters pictured from left are: Mammy (Kelly Kessler), Pappy (Don Goss), Daley (Cindy Coakley), Abner (Glenn Lockwood) and Marryin' Sam (Tom Potter). Beverly Scroggins will direct the performance. (An unrelated picture of Cindy Coakley is on Page 5A of today's edition.)

Victim, lifesaver reunited

By Dennis Grubaugh
Managing editor

GRANITE CITY — It was a recent Wednesday morning. Debbie Reeves was on her way to work, when suddenly a car pulled alongside and the driver jumped out with a horrified look on her face.

"She staggered out and her little girl was crying. 'Help me. Help me. My Mommy is choking!'"

The scene at 27th Street and Grand Avenue was the kind the rest of us would try to avoid.

Reeves threw open her car door and ran over to the woman. "I grabbed her just as she was about to fall," she recalled. She then performed something akin to the Heimlich Maneuver and dislodged the piece of candy that was giving Kay Preloger of Granite City such a hard time.

After being assured that Preloger was OK, Reeves left and continued on to her job as teacher's aide at Coolidge Junior High.

"After I got to school, it hit

me. I was in shock. I couldn't even remember leaving the area," Reeves recalled in an interview Wednesday afternoon, weeks after the incident.

The woman she saved, however, remembered all too vividly. Preloger was too overcome at the scene to find out her lifesaver's name. But she quickly gained the presence of mind to find out. She sat down and fired off a letter to the editor, which was run by the Press-Record/Journal in its Sunday, April 2, edition. In the letter she beseeched the woman who saved her to call her, so she could give her a personal thank you.

Reeves' brother, Ron Selph, assistant chief of police in Granite City, saw the letter and called his sister. Reeves then made the important call.

Preloger later told a reporter she couldn't thank her enough. "I bet we talked for 45 minutes," she said.

The ironic part of the whole incident is that Reeves never learned the Heimlich Maneuver.

"There was a pamphlet on the office door that I looked at a few times," she said. "And I saw it done to a woman one time at bingo. But I never did it myself."

The women's lives intertwined only briefly, but the time made a difference. Preloger had just dropped off one of her daughters at the high school and was taking another to Holy Family School.

Reeves, on the other hand, was dropping off a son at the high school when it all occurred. The son, 15-year-old Ryan, had not seen the woman choking and wondered why his mother had jumped out of the car to begin beating on another woman. That was the lighter side to what could have been tragedy, Reeves said.

The incident stopped traffic on both sides of the road, but although there were a good dozen people around no one else came to help. A grateful Preloger said, "It's not everyday someone is willing to help another person."

Douglas: Poll's bunk

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Release of the results of an unprecedented poll has added to the political controversy surrounding the selection of an associate judge by the nine circuit judges.

Those judges received ballots in Wednesday's mail and, by April 21, will vote to make an associate judge out of either Charles Douglas or Robert Henessey, both Granite City lawyers.

An Illinois State Bar Association poll released earlier this week recommended Henessey, but not Douglas.

"The poll is a bunch of bunk,"

Douglas said. "I'll put my qualifications up against any attorney in the county. I'll put them up against any of the sitting judges. I may not be better, but I'm at least their equal."

The ISBA polled attorneys in Madison and Bond counties asking them to evaluate Henessey and Douglas.

Henessey was recommended with a score 2.87 points above the minimum.

Douglas' results were not released.

The survey was the first ever held for associate judge candidates, although surveys are routinely done for retention of sitting associate judges.

"At the bottom of the release

you see a sort of disclaimer that says the results are not released if the person is not recommended or if the number of ballots with an opinion about the person was not high enough," David Anderson of the ISBA said.

Anderson said 374 ballots were mailed out and 202 were returned, representing a 54 percent return. Only a 25 percent return, including ballots with no opinion, is required to consider a poll valid, he said, but an opinion about the person must be expressed on at least 30 of the ballots.

"Obviously, we won't tell you which of the two was the reason

Move to Prather panics parents

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Parents from Niedringhaus School were just a little panicked by the proposed redistricting of their school.

About 45 parents turned out for a public hearing at the school Tuesday night.

"I'm concerned as a property owner, not just as a parent," Tim Elliott said of the proposal. "If I wanted to be in (Prather) school, I would move over there."

Elliott said he felt that one of the good things about his home in the 2200 block of Delmar Avenue when he purchased it several years ago was that it was served by Niedringhaus School. Elliott, who also owns rental property, said having a school within walking distance attracted residents.

The redistricting proposal would bus children in the 2200 blocks of Adams, Benton, Cleveland, Delmar, Edison, State and Grand to Prather School. Officials estimate that a maximum of 80 children would be affected. Children within those boundaries who are currently enrolled at Niedringhaus will be allowed to continue at the school, Superintendent Gib Walmesley said.

The real problem is for fami-

lies who already have a child enrolled but have another child or children who are just starting school, parents said. According to the proposal, those children would be required to go to Prather School.

"We want all of a family's children to be allowed to be at one attendance center," Walmesley said. "Wherever possible, we would keep a family together."

These families would also have the option to send all their children to Prather School. This suggestion was met with mumbles from the audience.

"There is no way to make all of you happy," Walmesley said. "We're trying to keep changes as positive as possible and be disruptive as little as is necessary."

Betty Paul said she was concerned by the number of students that could come into the district due to 100 new apartments being built at the Charles Melvin Price Support Center, possibly causing more redistricting in the near future.

"If you know that they're coming, you should be getting ready for them now," Paul said.

Walmesley said an exact number had not been determined, estimating 100 or more who would be divided between 10A

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Deaths

Bernard Anderson
Maude Grady
Stella Hayes
Marian Ross
Steve Singleton
Gracie White

Lottery

Lottery numbers were:
Saturday, April 8, 1989:
Pick 4 Game: 4460
Lotto Game:
11 12 13 39 41 44
Sunday, April 9: 643
Pick 4 Game: 9059
Monday, April 10: 192
Pick 4 Game: 1407
Cash-5 Game:
14 18 26 29 30
Tuesday, April 11: 655
Pick 4 Game: 5833
Wednesday, April 12: 850
Pick 4 Game: 4608
Cash-5 Game:
07 08 09 15 28

75 years ago

Tuesday, April 14, 1914
The Granite City Volunteer Fire Department decided to purchase, for \$200, a pulmotor. It is a new lifesaving device, that the department said could be used not only in connection with fires, but for any case of near death by asphyxiation.

Trivia

When did George Nemeth win his first state wrestling championship?

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Lotto at \$50 million; everybody's got fever

By Andy Siering
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — One in 12.9 million: Those are the odds in the Illinois Lotto, which offers a record jackpot of \$50 million for Saturday's drawing.

The proverbial snowball in Hades has a better chance than that, but it didn't stop people from buying a record number of tickets the last few days.

More than 7 million tickets were sold from Sunday through Tuesday, said Kathy Rem, the Springfield-based director of communications of the Illinois Lottery. In a normal week, only 6-9 million tickets are sold, with Friday and Saturday the heaviest days. Rem said it is "likely" the jackpot will increase by Saturday.

Even if it doesn't rise above \$50 million, if a winning ticket

is drawn the prize will be the fourth-largest in any lottery in the United States. If a winning number is not drawn, a minimum of \$5 million will be tacked on to next week's jackpot, Rem said.

The odds remain almost constant regardless of the number of tickets sold, Rem said, but abnormally heavy sales also increase, however minutely, the likelihood of more than one ticket splitting the jackpot.

This is the third consecutive week the jackpot has rolled over without anybody winning the grand prize. No Illinois Lotto has ever rolled over four times, Rem said.

If nobody wins this week, next week's jackpot would stand a strong chance of being the largest prize ever offered in a U.S. lottery.

The top three jackpots were:
•California on Oct. 29, 1988: Three persons split \$62 million.
•Florida on Sept. 8, 1988: Sheila Ryan won \$55.1 million.
•California on June 4, 1988: Two persons split \$51.4 million.

Illinois had a \$39.6 million jackpot on Christmas Eve 1988, won by John Evancho of Waukesha, Wis. The largest Illinois prize remains the \$40 million won Sept. 1, 1984, by Michael Wittkowski, then a Chicago printer.

Rem said Wittkowski now owns a liquor store in the Chicago suburb area, where he sells lottery tickets.

The computerized Lotto machines shut down at 6:35 p.m. Saturday; drawing is at 6:57.

Gentlemen, start your snowballs.



Arson attempt made at store

Mark Newkirk of American Home Service in the 1500 block of Pontoon Road reported April 10 that someone had pushed a number of advertising flyers through the mail slot in the door and set one or two of the paper sheets on fire before pushing them inside.

When Newkirk opened the store, he found about 60 circulars inside. Only the edges of the papers burned and they failed to ignite the other flyers.

2 vehicle engines stolen

A 337-cubic-inch 1979 International gasoline engine weighing about 1,400 pounds and worth \$500 was stolen from Harper Automotive in the 2000 block of Illinois Avenue, it was reported April 7.

A wrecker truck would have been needed to move the engine, which had been on the ground outside the service garage, Robert Harper, owner of the business, said.

On April 6, a 1.6-liter Ford Escort engine was stolen from the same location.

45-foot trailer stolen

A 45-foot van-type 1980 Miller box trailer worth \$5,500 was stolen from a parking area at 17th Street and Grand Avenue, it was reported April 6 by William House.

Cannabis house filled

Thomas C. Tarpoff, 30, of Terrace Lane was arrested at 2 a.m. April 7 at Madison and Necedah avenues and charged with unlawful possession of cannabis and disobeying a traffic control device. He posted \$102 bail and was released.

Warrant served here

Everett T. Hughes, 30, of Belleville was transferred April 6 from the St. Clair County Jail in Belleville on a Granite City warrant alleging failure to appear on an allegation of battery. He was released on \$1,000 recognizance, pending a hearing.

Two passengers injured

Two passengers sustained injuries in a two-vehicle accident April 8.

The mishap involved an east-bound station wagon operated by Laura J. Baker, 17, of the 1200 block of Lee Avenue, who was making a left turn to northbound Maryville Road, and an auto driven by Earl G. Dorn, 37, of the 3200 block of Washburn Avenue, westbound on Pontoon Road.

Melissa Horrell, 16, of the 2200 block of Clinton Drive, a passenger in the Baker car, and Marie Dotzauer, 62, of the Washburn address, who was in the Dotzauer car, suffered no injuries. Both declined immediate medical attention.

Task force will help autistic to integrate

The move "Rain Man" has increased public awareness of autistic savants. However, most people with autism in the state do not have the kind of gifted talents displayed by Dustin Hoffman's character in the movie, according to the Illinois Department of Rehabilitation Services.

A statewide task force organized by the Illinois Society of Autistic Citizens is developing a training program for state agencies and organizations to raise public awareness about non-gifted people with autism and to help integrate them into the community.

Autism is a complex psychological disorder that isolates the affected individual, who has trouble with all forms of communication.

Victims of autism often develop ritualistic behaviors and repetitive movements that give order and meaning to the world. Experts do not know what causes the disorder and there is no cure.

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Granite City

Arrested on warrant

Doyle M. Cutright, 21, of East Alton was arrested April 6 in the 2100 block of Lee Avenue on a Granite City warrant alleging failure to pay parking ticket fines. He was released April 7 after posting \$52 bail.

Diamond ring missing

A \$1,000 marquise diamond ring was among the items stolen in a burglary at the home of Vivian E. Rich of the 3300 block of Washburn Avenue, reported April 10.

A preliminary inventory of missing property included a 25 caliber blue steel automatic pistol valued at \$70, a gold watch and a silver watch.

When Rich arrived home, she found a window broken in the kitchen door. Two bedrooms had been ransacked.

Car burglar takes purse

A gold-colored purse valued at \$25, containing \$60, credit cards and personal papers, was stolen from the auto of Debra Rabey of the 2500 block of Iowa Street, she reported April 10. The vehicle was parked in the 2200 block of Washington Avenue.

Burglar gets medication

Between 15 and 17 prescription pills were taken in a burglary at the apartment of Ruby Lee Jackson of the 2500 block of Parkview Drive, she reported April 10.

Vandal smashes window

A large front window at Lori's Fashions, 25 Nameoki Village Shopping Center, was smashed by a rock-throwing vandal, it was reported at 3:35 p.m. Tuesday. A passerby saw a group of youths throwing rocks and one broke the window.

Vandal paints garage

Black and blue spray paint was used to cover an entire wall of a garage with graffiti, it was reported April 10 by Herb Buente of the 2200 block of Lee Avenue.

Purse with \$5 stolen

Crista Marsala of the 2200 block of Grand Avenue reported April 6 that her purse, containing \$5, make-up items and her driver license, was stolen from the floor of a classroom at the Granite City School of Beauty Culture in the 1800 block of Edison Avenue.

Window damage alleged

James Jacob Widel, 17, of the 4400 block of Kirkpatrick Homes was charged with resisting arrest and criminal damage to property when arrested April 6 at his apartment.

Brenda Lane of the residence alleged that Widel, her son, broke four windows at the apartment with a small hammer. Damage was estimated at \$120.

Widel returned home a short time later and seeing a police officer taking the report, began to run; he was pursued a short distance and caught, authorities said. In a court appearance April 7, Widel's bail was set at \$102 on the resisting charge and a \$1,000 recognizance bond was set on the damage charge. He was returned to police custody.

Food, food stamps taken

Kimberly Land of the 1800 block of State Street reported April 10 that her apartment was burglarized. The intruder took assorted meat and canned food worth \$85, plus \$19 worth of food stamps.

Child safety warrant

Charles Delain Spink Jr., 30, of the 2400 block of Logan Avenue was arrested April 10 at the Nameoki Village Shopping Center on a warrant charging failure to appear on a traffic charge of violation of the child safety restraint law.

Spink appeared in the Granite City court the same day and was released on a \$1,000 recognizance bond on condition he will pay a fine and court costs by Aug. 12.

Vandal damages 2 cars

Two autos parked at the home of Elizabeth A. Simpson in the 3300 block of Redbud Avenue were damaged by a vandal who left several long scratches on a 1989 Oldsmobile Royale and a 1986 Pontiac Bonneville on April 10.

2 charges against man

Robert Leon Eason, 27, of the 2200 block of Nevada Avenue was booked for battery and resisting arrest following an April 10 incident at his home.

Darla D. Eason alleged that her husband became enraged during an argument and pushed her backward into the bedroom and onto the floor. When she got up, he pushed her onto a bed and twisted her shirt collar, partly choking her before leaving the house, she alleged. She had red marks around the neck and left side of the face and swelling near the left eye.

Robert Eason had returned when a police officer arrived. After placing him under arrest, the officer agreed not to handcuff him until outside the dwelling due to the presence of children in the home. Outside, the man allegedly refused to be handcuffed and accompany the officer.

Eason ran back to the house, kicked open the door and ran inside after his wife, the officer alleged; when the officer grabbed him from behind, Eason allegedly swung at him and was wrestled to the floor and arrested.

Eason posted \$204 bail and was released later the same day.

Woman purse thief flees

Mary Dorn, 37, of the 1900 block of Grand Avenue was walking in the alley at the rear of her home at 11:25 a.m. April 7 when a

Theft warrant served

Edward Walter Sudym III, 22, of the 4100 block of Division Street, Pontoon Beach, was transferred from the Pontoon Beach Police Station to Granite City at 10:15 p.m. Tuesday on a local warrant alleging theft. He posted \$252 bail and was released, pending a hearing.

Home intruder foiled

Larry G. Hunt of Devon Hill Lane reported at 10:15 p.m. Tuesday that a man tried to enter the front door of his residence by breaking off the front screen door handle and pushing on the inside door. Hunt turned on the front porch light and the man fled south on 18th Hill Lane. The suspect was 18 or 19 years old with long hair and wearing a blue jean jacket.

woman ran up behind her and grabbed her purse.

The large black shoulder purse contained \$55, medication and miscellaneous papers, Kissel, 60, said.

The thief was a black woman about 17 years old, 5 feet 2 inches tall and weighed 110 pounds. She was wearing jeans and a white top and ran west from the scene toward State Street.

Lights stolen from yard

Two electronic bug lights valued at \$250 mounted on posts worth \$60 were pulled from the ground and stolen at the home of Thelma Bruch in the 2700 block of Michigan Avenue, she reported April 5.

Concrete bench stolen

A concrete yard bench worth \$80 was stolen from the residence of Phyllis Spanberger in the 2000 block of Willow Avenue, she reported April 5.

Parked car burglarized

Several items were stolen from the car of Jamie Melzer of the 2500 block of State Street while the vehicle was in the front parking lot at Granite City High School. Stolen were an AM/FM cassette player worth \$120, an equalizer valued at \$40, five cassette tapes worth \$50 and a pair of sunglasses.

Bank door glass broken

Glass in the rear lobby door at the Magna Bank facility in the Bellemore Village Shopping Center was found broken April 6. There was no indication of entry.

Radar detector taken

Richard Wayne Shafer of the 2200 block of Washington Avenue reported April 9 that a burglar had broken out the passenger-side window of his car parked near his home and took a radar detector valued at \$130.

Accident injures driver

Stacey L. Marshall, 22, of Plainview, Ill., was injured April 9 in a one-car accident on Maryville Road near Rock Road. Marshall was driving north on Maryville Road when he is believed to have fallen asleep. His car left the roadway, striking a guardrail on the right side of the road and flipped over onto its roof. Marshall was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center by Granite City Ambulance.

Boy, 12, injured by car

Christopher L. Barton, 12, of the 2200 block of Washington Avenue suffered an injury at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday when he ran from an alley against the left front fender of a car.

William Bulva, 67, of the 1200 block of Iowa Street, Madison, said he was driving west on West 23rd Street about 150 feet east of Logan Avenue when the boy ran out from behind a garage and collided with his car.

The boy said he was running north in the alley away from other children when the accident occurred.

Bulva took the boy to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment.

Four hurt at 27th-Madison

GRANITE CITY — Four people sustained injuries and one motorist was ticketed in a traffic accident at 9:55 a.m. April 7.

Victor J. Stroke, 56, of the 2700 block of Iowa Street was driving west on 27th Street, crossing Madison Avenue, when his car was struck by an auto being driven north by A.W. Davis, 78, of the 1100 block of Rhodes Street, Madison.

Davis' vehicle spun and went up on the sidewalk; it knocked down a "no parking" sign and

then struck the Herring Flowers building, damaging a wall and breaking a window.

Davis was charged with passing a traffic control signal.

Stroke and three passengers in his car were taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center. None was seriously hurt.

The passengers were Diane Stroke, 44, of the Iowa Street address, Dustin Harris, 3, of the 2800 block of Cayuga Street, and Abby McKee, 2, of the 2200 block of Nevada Avenue.

Burglar steals jewelry

A burglar broke a window in a rear door to get inside the home of Bill McGarrahan in the 1200 block of Oriole Street, ransack a bedroom and steal jewelry, \$310 cash and old silver coins, it was reported April 4.

Taken were a video cassette recorder, three diamond rings, 20 pairs of cuff links, 10 Kennedy half-dollars, a man's jewelry box, two pairs of silver earrings, three gold chain necklaces, a silver necklace, three cubic zirconia rings, a rhinestone necklace and other assorted jewelry.

1978 Oldsmobile stolen

Thad Richardson of the 1100 block of Logan Avenue reported April 6 that a gray 1978 Oldsmobile coupe was stolen from a parking area in the Lee Wright Homes complex. A search of the neighborhood failed to locate the car.

Vandalism at dog pound

Vandalism cut the fence on the south end of the dog pound and also cut fencing on a small pen, Joe Meehan, animal control officer, reported April 4.

Two dogs were taken from the pound, but one of the animals was found tied behind a house in the 1200 block of Klein Street. The second dog was seen running at large in the same area.

Damage-warrant served

John S. Logan, 25, of the 100 block of Weaver Street was arrested at the Venice Police Station on April 3 on a warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge

of criminal damage to property. She was released April 4 on recognizance.

Car looted and damaged

An AM/FM stereo radio was stolen from the car of Barbara Cox while the vehicle was parked outside her home in the 900 block of Third Street, she reported March 26. The burglar broke a window and damaged the dashboard and console.

Lottery tickets gone

A book of Illinois State Lottery tickets was stolen from a drawer at the Venice Liquor Store, 324 Broadway, it was reported March 23. Tickets missing in the book were numbered from 258 to 499.

Truck looted by burglar

William H. Campbell, a truck driver from Pennsylvania, reported March 20 a burglar broke a window of his truck and stole a radar detector, a citizen band radio and a pair of pliers while the vehicle was parked at Curly's Diner in the 1000 block of Broadway.

Thief loots apartment

Missing from an apartment in the 200 block of Granville Street were a full-size bed, a chest of drawers, box springs and mattress and a bedside table, Joyce Sloan, landlord, reported March 19.

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THE LAW AND YOU

BY RICK REED Attorney At Law

When a person sustains a personal injury resulting from someone else's negligence, the injured party is often faced with a decision of whether to settle the case or take it to trial. Many times an insurance company will offer the victim a sum of money to settle out of court, and the question arises as to whether it is in his best interest to accept it.

In one recent case, a person was in an automobile accident and sustained neck and back injuries. He treated at the emergency room and then received follow-up care from his family physician. He eventually wound up treating with a chiropractor and missed several weeks of work. His medical bills and lost wages totaled \$2500, and the insurance company offered him \$7500 to settle. Should he accept this sum or allow a jury to decide the damages in his case?

responsibility for his injuries. Taking the case to trial can keep the case open longer so that the victim has more time to determine the exact nature of his injuries.

One disadvantage to taking the case to trial involves the delay in the court process. A major personal injury case could take as much as three to four years to go to trial. Many people do not want to wait this long. In addition, there is expense in preparing a case for trial. There are court costs involved, the expense of depositions which are sworn statements taken prior to trial, and the cost of having an expert witness come to court to testify. Finally, many victims do not want to go to trial because they are fearful of taking the witness stand and because they do not want to miss work to appear in court.

In light of these considerations, whether it is best to settle depends upon the facts in each given situation. The victim in one example decided to accept the offer and avoid the hassle of taking it to court. It is probably best to consult with one's attorney before making a decision in any particular case.

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By ROD FLOOD
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Pontoon seats new trustees, lowers taxes

By Valerie Evenden
Staff writer

PONTOON BEACH — A mixture of the old and the new highlighted Tuesday night's meeting of the Village Board of Trustees. A capacity crowd heard the old board members reduce the utility tax for village residents by 2 percent (from 5 to 3 percent) and saw newly elected trustees sworn into office near the end of the session.

Residents filled the chairs and leaned against the walls of the board room as Village Clerk Mary Warren read the results of the official canvass of votes from the April 4 election.

Candidates and the votes they recorded were:
Four-year terms (three seats)
Robert D. Abel (incumbent), 334; Marvin Ribbing, 322; Robert L. Douglas, 300; Donald R. McNew, 297; Robert E. Vincent (incumbent), 294; Samuel R. Stoyanoff, 289; and Randall E. Dresswood, 153.

Two-year term (one seat)
Irene Karlechik, 359; James L. Hill, 287; and Dana R. Wallace, 82.
Abel, Ribbing and Douglas were declared winners of four-year terms and Karlechik of the two-year term.

Mayor Glen Wilson and the Board of Trustees immediately passed a resolution to bond the newly elected officials, effective at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, April 12.

Leaving the board are Vincent, a trustee for eight years, Donald C. Rea, a village trustee since 1973 and also a Madison County Board member; and Carl Hackney Jr., who was appointed in August 1987. Hackney previously served as economic developer for the village and was a member of the board in the early 1970s.

Rea and Hackney announced in December 1988 that neither would seek re-election.

In addition to approving a reduction in the utility tax rate from the current 5 percent to 3 percent for electric, gas and telephone service in the 1988-89 fiscal year, the "old" board passed an ordinance establishing yearly license fees and penalties for non-payment.

The new measure also requires multiple licenses for individual businesses and commercial activities whether under one roof or not and sets up procedures for enforcement, suspension or revocation of licenses and appeals.

Prior to voting on the four ordinances which were read at the March 28 meeting and published in the Granite City Press-Record/Journal Sunday edition, Rea commented, "I don't feel right about acting on these tonight since we put them on first reading at the last meeting."

"I object to that," said Trustee Louis Whittell. "We've worked long and hard on this and I'd like to see it passed tonight. I don't want to put it off any longer and I don't care who votes on it, this board or the new board. I hope we can eliminate it all next year."

"I want to clarify my position," Rea said. "Some people who are coming on the board, I heard in the election, may have some information. Maybe it could lower it (the rate)."

"I heard that in the election, too," Wilson said, "but I personally don't think we can do that at this time. If (the ordinance) can be brought back."

After reading the three ordinances relating to reduction of the utility tax, Village Attorney Keith Jensen suggested the board waive the second reading of the license fees ordinance. "It is a lengthy document and has been read before and published," the attorney said.



(Staff photo by Valerie Evenden)

TRUSTEES CHOSEN IN the April 4 village election were officially sworn into office Tuesday night by Village Clerk Mary Warren, at right. From left: Robert L. Douglas, Robert D. Abel, Irene Karlechik and Marvin Ribbing. Douglas, Abel and Ribbing won four-year terms. Karlechik won a two-year seat.

The ordinance was amended to include four categories under retail sales omitted from the original ordinance, including vid-

eo rental and sales, swimming pool and spa sales, miniature golf and craft shops. Each requires a \$75 annual license. All four ordinances were

approved without dissent. Notification to businesses concerning new license fees will start this week, the village clerk said.

Echols: Will work with new aldermen

By Andy Slering
Staff writer

VENICE — Mayor Tyrone Echols says he can work with newly elected aldermen, despite the fact that he backed their opponents in the April 4 election.

The new aldermen say the same thing. Henry Fletcher beat incumbent Charles Haynes in the 4th

Ward, and the Rev. John Henry Williams defeated Jacob Young Jr. in the 2nd Ward.

Asked if he in any way viewed their election as a vote of no confidence in his administration, Echols said, "I don't necessarily think so."

Echols pledged to work with Williams and Fletcher, both of whom said they would work in a bloc with Alderman Victor Valentine.

"If they're sincere about the community — and I think they are — there won't be any problem," Echols said.

Said Fletcher: "I'm 100 percent in John Henry's corner. Whatever he wants, I'll push for."

Williams said he had "no personal differences with Mayor Echols."

As for whether he and Echols held different views on issues

facing Venice, Williams said, "Right now, it's just wait and see."

Williams said he had two main goals: "To update the police department and deter crime; and to clean up the city to show a positive attitude."

"I'm about people-helping," Williams said.

"I will work with anybody who wants to do what's right."

Pontoon's March building permits for new construction total \$377,555

By Valerie Evenden
Staff writer

PONTOON BEACH — Building permits totaling \$377,555 were issued in March for new construction in the village.

Clerk Mary Warren said five new business licenses also were approved at the April 11 meeting of the Board of Trustees.

The building permits included construction of a \$213,000 warehouse facility by McMunkin Pipe Co. in the 3900 block of Illinois 111, and a new \$67,000 addition at H & M Sheet Metal, located at Arlington Drive and Illinois State Rd 35.

Permits also were issued for a new \$48,000 residence in Chouteau Trace I; a \$33,655 remodel-

ing project by Winfield Brothers Co. at an apartment at 3916 Oakmont Drive for the Madison County Housing Authority; and construction of a new \$15,800 warehouse on the Foster property at 3904 Illinois 111.

Business licenses were authorized for:

• Cole Beatty of 2712 Angela Drive, to operate CBC Pools and Spas, a retail store at 4061 Pontoon Road; Kevin Shenwell of 3921 Oakmont Drive, automobile alarm sales and service at B & E Service, 3940 Pontoon Road.

• Chun Sit Dupont of 2000 Pontoon Road to operate Pontoon Hair Fashions, a beauty shop at 4021 Pontoon Road; Thomas Watts of 2717 Marshall Ave. to

operate a fish fry carryout facility at 3998 Lake Street.

• Russell Barthelemy of 3968 Lake Drive and Bart A. Mercer of 4080-Lake Drive for a general contracting firm at 3968 Lake Drive.

Action was delayed on a request for a license by Swan Sales Enterprises of Staunton, a company which sells and delivers frozen foods and ice cream products.

The firm can make deliveries to patrons within the village, but may not solicit customers door to door. An ordinance prohibits door-to-door canvassing, which was proposed by the company, it was noted.

Viaduct repair begins

VENICE — The Broadway viaduct over the Terminal Railroad Association tracks will be restricted to one lane in each direction starting this week. The Illinois Department of Transportation announced.

IDOT estimates the restrictions on the viaduct, a key east-west link for many to Illinois 3 and the McKinley Bridge, will last until September 1990.

The roadway deck of the viaduct is scheduled to be completely replaced, but the work will be done in stages in order to maintain the flow of traffic in at least one lane each way throughout the construction.

The project is being done by Keller Construction Co. of Edwardsville at a cost of \$3.3 million.

Phone per-call charge forum set

BELEVILLE — A public forum focusing on a proposed Illinois Bell rate change will be held April 25 at 7:30 p.m. at Belleville Area College's Belleville campus.

Under the new rate proposal, telephone customers would be charged for each local call, but charges and business rates would be lower. Illinois Bell is now proposing a plan which would share additional profits with customers.

Analysts representing consumer and business interests and Illinois Bell will be on hand to discuss the possible impact of the proposal.

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Former Madison policemen awarded back pay in court

MADISON — Five former Madison policemen won \$22,574 in back pay in a lawsuit dating back to 1986, and the City Council has authorized borrowing of money to pay them.

The former policemen are Donald Bridick, William Papa, Norris Horton, Richard Asperger and Gary Marsala.

Under terms of City Ordinance 857, the men were entitled to an extra \$128 a month in incentive pay for college

courses they took.

That ordinance was superseded by City Ordinance 1101, enacted in June 1986.

Under the administration of Mayor Mike Sasyk, the men were paid \$25 a month in incentive pay.

They brought suit in 1986. The judgment was rendered in the 3rd Circuit Court by Associate Judge Wendell Dwyer.

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Vacation south ends for couple

Mr. and Mrs. Roy (Ruth) King have returned home after spending a three-month vacation in the south, where they visited King's sisters and their families and took a tour of Graceland in Nashville, Tenn.

They visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted White in Florence, Ala.; a son and daughter-in-law, Kenneth and Julie King in Duluth, Ga.; Darrell and Lois Pirtle (former Granite City residents) in Palatka, Ga.; and Ray Koesterer in Okeechobee, Lake Port, Fla.

In the announcement of a First Communion, Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Sandra Shea) Nowicki are the stepfather and mother, not the grandparents, of Candice Marie Carly as was previously reported.

The Granite City Business and Professional Women will have a dinner meeting April 19 at Jerry's banquet room. Those interested should call 451-1357 for reservations by April 15. Jerry Doll, public relations director from Channel 5, will be the speaker.

A "Boogie for Breath" dinner dance will be held Saturday at the Mexican Honorary Commission Hall. Mexican food will be available. Donations will be \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children, with proceeds going to Cystic

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By Maxine Green
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Fibrosis. Music will start at 7 p.m.

The Bethesda Baptist Church women made nine quilts for the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children in St. Louis and presented 21 blankets to the Evangelistic Center, also in St. Louis.

Janette Craycraft, Sylvia Massman, Lula Frost and Shirley White gave testimonies during March (Home Mission Month) focusing attention on WMU, a way churches keep missions before their congregations, and the contribution women make in the total life of the church, through missions, education and mission action.

Maggie Luffman was recently elected as Baptist Women's president.

Sally Erdman has returned home from King City, Calif., where she visited her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin (Helen) Poole, and their son, Alvin Jr. She also visited a

niece, Janet Marquette, and her daughter, Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike (Diane) Corrado and son, Michael, had as guests Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Hilda) Corrado, and nephew, Jimmy Rowden, of Litchfield, Ill.

On Saturday, pro-wrestling will be held at Belleville Area College's Granite City Campus at 8 p.m. Tickets are being sold at the Granite City Magna Banks and Granite City Schnuck Market or by calling 452-5824 for information.

Avon Representatives met last week at the Granite City Township Hall.

The door prize, an Avon vase filled with fresh flowers, was won by Helen Miller.

Sandy Hamilton, Rosemary Ralston, Julie Lotzy, Mary Fey, Eithen, Lenore Welby, Gerri Clark and Rose Doolin made the 1988 President's Club and was given a \$100 porcelain figurine.

Doolin received a five-year plate, and Lois Hoy received a 15-year plate.

Certificates were awarded to Doris Lundry, Dawn Mayford, Fithen and Cindy Halman.

Other attendance prizes went to Elaine Staton, Rhonda Hig-

gins, Donna Juillera, Benda Bilyeu, Iola Voyles, Kim Dixon, Mickey Strack, Lundy and Mary Nolan.

Those already achieving the 1989 President's Club goals are Chloé Denny, Cora Nance, Bonnie Hunter, Sandy Hamilton, Esther Clements and Elaine Staton. Birthday and anniversary gifts went to Yobby and Della McElroy.

Honor Society goals were reached by Elaine Staton, Bonnie Hunter, Lois Hoy, Mickey Strack, Ruth Ray, Elaine Staton, Clements, Mary Nolan, Nance and Denny.

Honorable mention was made to President's Club members in sales from 23 to 33 years. They were Nadine Papp, Irene Hendrickson, Maxine Green, Clara Winter, Ann Raub and Denny.

Others attending were Carolyn Stamm, Irene Childers, Alma Reynolds, Florence Michaelson, Shirley Ottinger, Lillian Riegg, Wannie Fointner, Dorothy Alsop, Connie Clark, Rosa Lux, B.J. Jones, Rodgers Bar, Linda Hall, Shirley Lott, Dorothy Jones, Tommie Meyers, Karen Taylor and Myrie Chastain.

George and Glenn Staggas had as guests Mrs. Staggas's cousin, Pat Topal of Arlington, Texas, and another cousin, Davis Young, his wife, Dorothy, of Festus, Mo.

Grandson pays visit

Gladys Phelps hosted her grandson and his wife, Wayne and Harlene Fry, and their children Christopher, Jason and Crystal, for nine days.

The Frys are former Granite City residents who now live in the Branson, Mo., area.

They also visited several friends and relatives in the area and in Collinsville. The Frys had Easter dinner at Ron and Rose Chadwick's, Fry's aunt and uncle. Fry was one of those who was severely burned five years ago at Granite City Steel.

Pontoon Senior Citizens held their regular monthly potluck dinner on April 25 at the Pontoon Senior Citizens Hall.

Those attending were Bob and Ginny Alford, Larry and Mary Dorch, Jim and Jari Schieb, Emily Jones, Bell Kreher, Winifred and Francis Bringer, Kermit and Vi Atkins, Irma Bernaiz, Dora Bernaiz, Dora Serini, Ralph and Juanita Craycraft, Leona Bell, Florence Stewart, Stanley and Loreta Golab, Thelma Black, Marine Heidback, Balaska Daugherty, Karmyn Edmonds, Josep Pisel, Edna Webster, Mary Hodshire, William and Ruth Dagon, Misty Morris, Bertha Hall, Sylvia Simperda, John and Karen Orr, Dor-

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By Lucille Martin
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athy Watkins, Pete Bolton, Helen Nieper, Marvin Heidbrink, Mary Hasselbrook, Carman Williams, Paye B. Rody, Marion Winkle and Fran Cope.

Attendance prizes were won by Serini, Rody, Ginny Alford, Betty Ridgeway, Hasselbrook, Arthur Gann and Jennie Wilson.

A new members' banquet was held at Pontoon Baptist Church in April 3, catered by Jane Luper. A skit, "The Perfect Church," introduced church officers.

Dinner was served to Kevin Joyce, Stephanie Kerr, Juanita and Ralph Craycraft, Harold and Connie McBride, Gary and Barb Chaney, Harlan and Maggie Luffman, Larry and Barb Rigby, Karen, Matthew, and Rachel Desuza, Caley Dalton, Roy and Sylvia Whitehead, Ona and Rich Pike, Jane Kerr, and Jill Chaney.

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Dinner honors daughter's first communion

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin (Kathy) Montgomery, of Granite City, hosted a dinner in honor of their first communion of their daughter, Melissa, on Saturday, April 8, at their home.

After dinner, gifts were presented and a decorated cake served. In attendance were brother and sister, Michael and Michelle; grandparents, Vincent and Mary Huckla, of Madison; Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery and children, Mary, Michael and Matthew, of St. Louis; and Jerry and Susan Weatherly, of St. Louis.

On Sunday, April 9, Melissa received her First Communion at 2 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Church in Granite City. She is in the second grade at Maryville School.

Madison Middle School took part in the Junior Olympiad on April 5 at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. The event was sponsored by Region 1 Educational Service Center. There were 26 teams of four

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By Kathy Dohal
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from five counties. Teams competed, solving a variety of problems requiring higher level thinking skills and group task skills. The students are in the top 5 percent of their class and take part in the gifted program. Dr. Larry Busch from SIU-Carbondale was the leader. Exercises and projects had varying degrees of difficulties.

The Madison Team took fifth place. Members of the team were Rosalee Lane, Christine Sellers, Helen Churchill and Matthew Szerzinski. This is the second time in three years for the Middle School to place in the competition. In 1987 they took

first place. The members of that team were Erika King, Teresa Hampt, Deena Withers and Tonya Campbell who are now sophomores at Madison High. The coach for both teams was Barbara Cox.

On April 21 the Senior Olympiad will be held at the Belleville Area College campus in Belleville. Madison High School will have a team entered.

St. Mary-St. Mark Parent Group held their monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 5, at the school cafeteria. President Allan Ratkewicz called the meeting to order and Sister Mary Johnson opened with prayer. Joyce Johnson and Paula Ballew gave reports. Gerry Mendez made final plans for the money-maker project, "Luncheon is Served," to be followed by a Hobby Auction at 6:30 p.m. on April 13.

Kathy Ratkewicz reported on the recent Tipperware Sales. Mary Rogers said the remaining skating parties for the remainder of the year have been cancelled.

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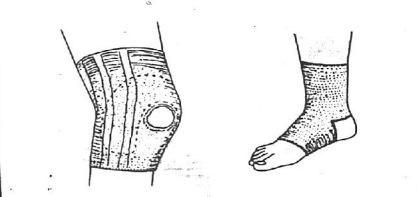
The election of 1989-90 officers was held with the following being elected: president, Toni Shabo, vice president, Norman Marler; treasurer, Paula Ballew; and secretary, Bennie Rodriquez. The installation of officers will be held following the dinner meeting May 3 at 6 p.m. at Ravanelli's Restaurant.

Peggy Sharr will accompany Jennifer Romanic to Chicago when she competes in the National Geography Bee.

Students Cindy Scaturro, Kristen Yobby, Allison Papa and Erica Shabo presented their entries for the speech meet held April 4 at St. John Neumann School in Maryville. Their coach was Sister Margaret Mary.

Other members in attendance at the monthly meeting were Bobi Papa, Sharon Gagich, Mike Papa, Kathy Dohal, Susan Mueller, Ann Dorris, Sister Joan, Jane Felty and Lucille Broadway.

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Sobol-Given

Mr. and Mrs. John Sobol of Granite City are announcing the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Valerie, to John F. Given II, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Given of Memphis, Tenn.

Sobol is a 1989 graduate of the University of Mississippi, Oxford, where she earned a bachelor's degree in journalism and was a Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority member.

Given is also a graduate of the University of Mississippi, where he is completing his third year of law school. He is a Phi Kappa Phi Fraternity member.

The couple have planned a summer wedding at the Basilica of St. Louis the King.

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Valerie Sobol

Births

Births recorded at Anderson Hospital, Maryville, include:

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred (Lisa) Trebing of Granite City, March 26.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris (Debra) Vaughn of Granite City, March 25.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Annette) Jones of Granite City, April 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Dunn Jr. of Granite City, Ashley Nickole, born March 30, 7 pounds, 14 ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. William Clark of Madison, twins, born March 31, Amber Marie, 4 pounds, 10 ounces, and Ashley Sue, 4 pounds 13 ounces.

BOYS

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald (Kimberly) Rhodes, March 25.

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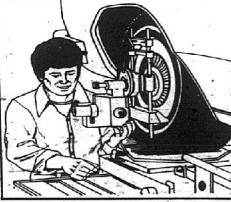
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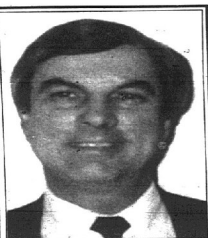


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Volunteers

A look at 22 people who make the Quad Cities area a success



John Kreisl: president, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of SW Illinois. Group matches adult volunteers with children ages 7-14 from single-parent families.



Ben Johannpeter: president, Tri-Cities Area United Way. The United Way mission is to increase the organized capacity of people to care.

This is National Volunteer Week, and the *Press-Record/Journal* salutes those who are making a difference in the community. These 22 are representative of the many caring individuals that donate their time to charitable causes. They are leaders of Tri City United Way agencies in the Quad Cities area. (A photo of the 22nd member of the team, Lydia Cruz of the Belleville Area College Senior Aides Program, was not available. Senior Aides provides part-time, on-the-job employment training for individuals 55 and older.)



Joe Hardin: president, Children's Home and Aid Society. The family-oriented agency deals with abuse, neglect, teen pregnancy, etc.



William Badger: chapter chair, American Red Cross. Agency provides blood services disaster relief, first aid and water safety courses.



Steven Suess: president, Protestant Welfare Association. Agency provides food, clothing and medical equipment to those with low income or in crisis.



Raymond Mosley: president, Joe W. Roberts Youth Athletic Club. Club provides supervised summer activities for children ages 7 to 17 in Madison-Venice area.



Ed Urban: president, American Heart Association of Southern Madison County. Agency educates and researches about heart disease.



Mary Brown: president, River Bluffs Girl Scout Council. Agency provides character-building programs to 1,150 girls in area.



John Fruit: president, Cahokia Mound Council Boy Scouts. Council provides character-building programs to approximately 1,300 youth in area.



Bobbie Govanus: president, Plasa Health Care. Agency provides prevention and treatment services in the areas of drug and alcohol abuse.



Casey Krakowiecki: president, Quad Cities Catholic Charities. Agency aids people in marital discord, problem pregnancies, financial assistance, foster care and adoption.



Don Partney: president, Tri-City Area YMCA. Agency provides a wide variety of recreational activities designed to develop physical fitness and improve quality of life.



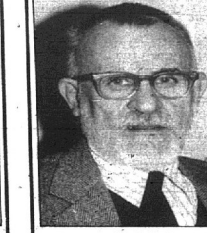
Dorothy Buser: president, Visiting Nurse Association. VNA provides intermittent professional nursing and homemaking services to homebound patients.



Elizabeth Briggs: president, St. Elizabeth Medical Center Auxiliary. Group provides home-delivered meals five days a week to homebound.



Tim Holt: pres., Co-Ordinated Youth Services. CYS provides education, energy and medical assistance, AIDS counseling and WIC services.



Henry Hellrich: president, Tri-Cities Area Association for Retarded. Agency provides recreational transportation and supervision for mentally retarded activities.



June Stucke: president, Phoenix Crisis Center. Agency provides shelter and assistance for victims of domestic violence.



Ted Ellerman: president, Alcoholic Rehabilitation Community Home. "ARCH" provides residential treatment for recovering alcoholics and chemically dependent persons.



Leonard Hawthorne: chair, Madison County Urban League. Group provides housing and budget counseling, job placement and utility assistance application.



Jane O'Neill: pres., Rape & Sexual Abuse Care Center SIUE. Center provides comprehensive services for adult and child victims of rape and sexual abuse.



Avery Schermer: president, The Salvation Army. Agency provides food, clothing, medical care, transportation, shelter and counseling to those in need.

National Volunteer Week April 9-15. These individuals are among the hundreds that keep our community ticking.



Pancakes mean money for Methodist men

The Tri-City Methodist Men's group will hold its spring fund-raiser, a pancake and sausage breakfast, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday at the Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, 20th Street and Delmar Avenue.

Donations received from the fund-raiser will help support several projects of Methodist Conference and National Methodist churches, according to spokesman Delton Groothuis.

One of the projects is supporting groups of Scouts sponsored by local Methodist churches, as well as Scouting within the Methodist Conference churches. Another program is the 24-hour Prayer Line in Nashville, Tenn.

Later this year, several events will be attended by local Methodist men. On July 8, the Methodist Men of Southern Illinois will gather at Mount Vernon for a day of study and fellowship.

On July 14-16, the 1989 Quadrennial or Congress of United Methodist Men will be held at Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind. The Congress will be attended by Methodist Men worldwide.

Other projects and spiritual events are planned for later this year. Groothuis said.

Friends, Moose gather together

The Granite City Chapter of the Women of the Moose held its annual Academy of the Moose. It got luck dinner with Chairman Gerri Speece presiding.

Those attending were: Jean Teller, Georgia Richards, Edna Miller, Karen Anders, Irene Goede, Anna Keesma, Mildred Walker, Alci Skaggs, Marian Lipscomb, Sara Gusewelle, Marjorie Wilkerson, Speece and Patricia Macke.

The next meeting will be May 2, with hostesses Gusewelle and Macke.

Junior Service holds auction

The March 20 meeting of the Granite City Junior Service was held at St. Peter's Church in Granite City.

The meeting was the club's annual hobby auction, with Sarah Repp as auctioneer.

Hostesses for the evening were Sara Repp, Jan Cassidy and Mary Jo Seibold.

Members voted on the slate of officers and board members for 1989-90. They will be installed at a dinner at 7 p.m. April 17 at Char's Restaurant in Collinsville.

Mormons hold world conclave

Several ecclesiastical leaders of local congregations of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Mormons) were in Salt Lake City on April 1 and 2 to participate in the church's 16th semiannual world conference.

Participants from foreign countries listened to the proceedings in their native languages by way of a translation system similar to the one used in United Nations meetings.

The general membership of the church heard and saw the four sessions of the conference via special satellite and tele-

phone networks.

The local chapel at Edwardsville (Illinois 157 south) is one of the many locations in the United States and Canada equipped with satellite dishes to receive such live transmissions.

Seniors slate Alley Kat dance

The Granite City Council of Seniors will hold a dance at the Granite City Township Hall, 2060 Delmar Ave., on April 24.

Refreshments will be served at 6:30 p.m., and the Alley Kats will entertain from 7 until 10 p.m.

A president also will be elected that evening. All seniors 55 and older who are members will be required to show their cards to vote for president. Nominated are Gertrude Bosnay and Juanita Crawley. Voting will begin at 5 p.m.

Those who need transportation should call Gertrude Barkley at 876-9039 before April 17.

Pasta cookery to be demonstrated

"Pasta Cookery" will be featured at Homemakers Extension Association unit meetings this week. Demonstrations will be given by local leaders who will highlight the versatility and economy of using pasta.

Dates and items of unit meetings include:

Monday, April 17: Creative Women, 6 p.m., at the home of Connie McBride, 4116 South Drive, Pontoon Beach.

Wednesday, April 19: Venice Madison, 1 p.m., at the Venice Community Center, Venice.

Club's plans bloom as spring arrives

The Southwestern Illinois Hemerocallis Society of Granite City met March 10.

Alexis Lux, chairman of the club's accredited show to be held July 3 at Alton Square, presented the preliminary show schedule and made committee assignments.

The gift draw was won by Gladys Huebner.

Refreshments were enjoyed by Marilyn Greenlee, John McDaniel, Agnes Miller, Beula Miller and Gloria Vinton of Granite City; Alexis and Geoffrey Lux of Madison; Elsie LeBegue of Troy; and Gladys Huebner and Sandra Ruyke of Godfrey.

The next meeting of the club is set for May 5. Interested gardeners may call 877-2983 for more information.

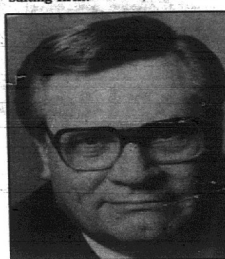
Individual potential analyzed by speaker

A seminar titled, "Living Without Limits" with Dr. Ronald Wallen, will be presented to the community from 12:30 to 4 p.m., at Christ Unity Church, 700 W. Clay St., Collinsville, on Sunday, April 23. Wallen will also participate in 10 a.m. worship.

"Living Without Limits" is a practical system to enhance personal energy and to achieve peak performance and prosperity, Wallen said.

With a doctorate from Boston

University, he is chairman of Farnax Corp. and president of Performance Success, a motivation, sales and management consulting firm.



Ben Hill
... Coloma, Ill.

Revival scheduled at First Nazarene

The Rev. Ben Hill from Coloma, Ill., will preach in revival services at First Church of the Nazarene, 4701 Illinois 111.

Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. from April 18 through 22. On Sunday, April 23, a morning service will be held at 10:30 and the evening service will be held at 6 p.m.

The public is invited.

County Humane annual meet set

Madison County Humane Society holds its annual meeting at 7 p.m., Thursday, May 4 at the Madison Mutual Building on Illinois 157 in Edwardsville. Animal

behavior specialists Debbie Walker and Russ Gentry of the Madison County Sheriff's Department and Canine Corps are the featured speakers. The agenda also includes a tea provided by the society, an informal business meeting, a social and a few surprises.

The public and members and friends of the humane society are invited.

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Pastor settles in at Park Tabernacle

The Rev. and Mrs. Eddy Brown have accepted the pastorate at Tri-City Park Tabernacle Church, 3400 Maryville Road.

Possessing a bachelor's degree in theology from the International Bible Institute and Seminary, Brown had been the pastor at Coastland Christian Center in Biloxi, Miss., for nine years. He served five years as president of the board of directors to Teen Challenge for the State of Mississippi.

Prior to that, Brown served as the pastor of the Living Word Christian Center in Jacksonville, Ark., for two years. He also was an associate pastor of First Assembly of God Church in New Orleans, from 1975 to 1977. While there, he co-hosted a nationally syndicated television program titled "Good News America." For three years, he also hosted a local Gulf Coast television program, "You're Somebody Special." During his tenure in Biloxi, the congregation purchased 23 acres and built a \$2 million church complex.

Brown entered the ministry in 1972, becoming a staff member with Teen Challenge of Arkansas, and was quickly promoted to Dean of Men for the organi-

gal gambling in the city of Biloxi, Miss.

His wife, Mary, holds a bachelor's degree in sociology and has worked extensively with youth in the ghettos of New York City with David Wilkerson through Cure Corps Ministries. Originally from Mulberry, Ark., Mrs. Brown was formerly Dean of Women for Arkansas Teen Challenge, and spent several years as a high school teacher and counselor. Mrs. Brown has been a frequent speaker at Women's Aglow, and other women's meetings.

The Rev. and Mrs. Brown previously operated a private Christian Counseling Service in New Orleans and have counseled in Biloxi, as well.

"The emphasis of our counseling has been working with individuals and families experiencing life-controlling problems such as alcoholism, addictive personalities and substance abuse," Brown stated.

Brown is on the weekly program, "Tabernacle Today," which is televised locally on Channel 10, Thursdays at 5 p.m.

Tri-City Park Tabernacle has Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m., with Wednesday night prayer and Bible study at 7 p.m.

Rev. Eddy Brown

zation. He is from Weatherford, Texas, and an ordained Assemblies of God minister. Brown stated that he was a former drug addict who had been set free from a life of drug addiction.

Brown was instrumental in forming the Christian Action League, a non-denominational effort in conjunction with the U.S. District Attorney's Office, to curtail pornography and ille-

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Celebration brings generations together

Dwight and Shelly Downs and son, Taylor, have returned from Dyersburg, Tenn., where they attended a birthday party for Shelly's great-grandmother, Zudie Gibson.

Gibson resides at the Park View Convalescence Home in Dyersburg, where she celebrated her 95th birthday with five generations of the family present. Those present included her son, Henry McNeely, and his wife, Tommie, of Marine, Ill.; their son, the Rev. Jim McNeely, and his wife, Carol, of St. Peters, Mo.; and their daughter, Shelly Downs, her husband, Dwight, and their son, Taylor.

The Henry McNeely Family and the Jim McNeely family are all former Mitchell residents.

The Senior Quilters of Chouteau Township met Thursday at the Township Social Center, 905 N. Thorngate Drive, to finish a quilt for LaRue Crawford.

Members enjoyed a mid-morning break with coffee and refreshments.

The club is open for new membership. Those who wish more information should call Sally Segar, club president, at 931-1787.

Mitchell School PTA officers for the 1989-1990 school year were elected at the March 16 general meeting. Elected were: Kris Hamilton, president; Kay Greer, vice president; Dorina Knight, recording secretary; Franca Borowski, corresponding secretary; and Pam Miller, treasurer.

Four of the Mitchell School PTA members will attend the Illinois State PTA Conference in May in Chicago. Those scheduled to attend are Hamilton, Greer, Trudy Sumpter, and Colleen Bringer.

Third-grade students Matt Hawkins and Carrie Richardson were chosen as Mitchell School "Student of the Week." They were chosen for their hard work, cooperativeness and dependability. Congratulations.

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By Maxine Dunlphin
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The Rev. Avery Morris, pastor of the Faith Chapel General Baptist Church, was the guest of honor at a reception hosted by the church members to mark his retirement from the public work force. Refreshments and soft drinks were served in the Fellowship Hall following Sunday evening church services.

Morris retired March 31 following a 41-year career in the steel industry: 25 years with General Steel and 16 years minus one month at Granite City Steel.

The evening was spent visiting, photographs were taken of the honoree and his special guests, Lowell and Marguerite Warren, lifelong friends.

He was presented with a poem written in his honor by the church secretary, Lucy Colbert, titled,

Life's Journey
As a young man you were all excited about a job that you could do. Going to work, getting a paycheck were the things you looked forward to.

As the years went by and the body began to tire, You began to plan your future around the time you would retire.

Now the time has come and the days are all your own. You can visit, or shop or putter around your home.

There's not apt to be much idle time to wander, "What am I going to do?" You'll hear Yvonne's voice saying, "Honey, I've got a job for you."

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Seat belt, DUI programs for students

GRANITE CITY — The Madison County Occupant Protection Program is becoming increasingly involved with area high school driver education classes. The schools are utilizing both the Seat Belt Safety Program and the Drinking and Driving Awareness Program.

The Occupant Protection Program offers each program to high schools every quarter.

Additional schools will be covered during the 1989-90 school year. This grant is funded

through the Illinois Department of Transportation and is made available through the office of Regional Superintendent of Schools Harry Briggs Jr. of Granite City and Plaza Health Care.

The Seat Belt Program includes a number of areas important to the new driver. Topics include laws and legal aspects of seat belt usage/non-usage, dynamics of a crash, and proper usage of the different belt systems found in vehicles.

Also, new safety systems which will be available by 1990 are discussed.

The Drinking and Driving Awareness Program is designed to make the student sharply aware of how alcohol affects driving. Topics stressed in this program are melded together, utilizing student input.

Students are asked what skills they feel are important to be a good driver. As the subject of alcohol and its physiological and psychological effects are dis-

cussed, the students are then asked to refer back to the important driving skills. For many students, the program provides new and useful information beneficial in making decisions dealing with alcohol-related situations.

By offering these programs to high school students, the Occupant Protection Program hopes to reduce the teen fatality rate, especially in alcohol-related accidents, Briggs said.

Suit settlement to benefit consumers

Illinois Attorney General Neil F. Hartigan recently joined with the attorneys general of three other states to announce a multi-million dollar settlement of an antitrust lawsuit against the distributor of Panasonic appliances.

Under the terms of the settlement, a half-million dollars or more could be returned to Illinois consumers who purchased Panasonic products in the spring and summer of 1988.

The announcement was made

at a joint news conference in Washington, D.C. with Hartigan, New York Attorney General Robert Abrams, and the Attorneys General of Kansas and California.

The settlement caps an investigation by Abrams into the allegations of price fixing by Matsushita, the North American distributor of Panasonic and Technic products.

The investigation showed that Matsushita exerted pressure on

its retail outlets to establish minimum prices for a variety of electronic appliances.

Retailers were not allowed to advertise or sell those products below the set minimum price. According to the investigation, Matsushita threatened to cut off shipments of the products to retailers who failed to comply with the policy.

Although Matsushita denied any involvement in price fixing, it agreed to reimburse an estimated 665,121 customers nationwide. The total settlement could cost Panasonic \$16 million in refunds and another \$3 million in administrative costs.

In Illinois, an estimated 26,472 customers will qualify for refunds.

The refunds apply to purchases of 16 different Panasonic and Technic brand products, including VCR's, camcorders, answering machines, cordless

telephones and stereo equipment purchased between March 1 and August 31, 1988.

A total of 142 Illinois stores took part in the price-setting, including Montgomery Ward, Kmart, and Polk Brothers.

Qualified purchasers will be identified through warranty records and computer data. Panasonic will notify customers within the next few weeks. Refund checks will then be issued by the Attorney General of each state participating in the settlement.

Individual refunds will range from \$17 to \$45; the total amount refunded to Illinois customers could go as high as \$636,000.

Unclaimed refunds will be turned over to the State of Illinois and other states taking part in the settlement, to be used for antitrust enforcement or to be returned to the state General Revenue Fund.

Advocacy services offered to rehabilitation applicants

Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation Inc., an Illinois not-for-profit corporation, provides advice, counseling and representation to persons with disabilities who have disputes with the Illinois Department of Rehabilitation Services (DORS).

DORS is a state agency which provides vocational rehabilitation and related services to people with disabilities. Any client or applicant who is dissatisfied with such services or lack of services has all rights to make a complaint and utilize the DORS appeals process.

The Federal Rehabilitation Act

of 1973 required DORS to establish a Client Assistance Program (CAP) within the Department itself. Additionally, the Department of Rehabilitation Services has contracted with Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation to provide advocacy services to applicants or clients of DORS who believe they are being denied services or treated unfairly.

For information on CAP services, persons may call toll free, 1-800-641-3929. To request free advocacy services through Land of Lincoln, they may call toll free 1-800-642-3374.

Phone line charge increases

As part of a federal plan to lower long distance charges and maintain reasonable prices for local telephone service, the monthly supplemental line charge for Illinois Bell residence and single-line business customers was increased 30 cents on April 1.

The monthly charge, which will rise from \$3.20 to \$3.50, is part of a 1984 Federal Communications Commission plan to gradually change the historic practice of subsidizing local telephone service with long distance charges.

The charge has no effect on Illinois Bell's revenues because the 30-cent increase is offset by a decrease in revenue the company receives from long distance

companies.

The monthly supplemental line charge for Illinois Bell's multiple-line business customers will not change from the present price of \$3.60, which is among the lowest in the country and well below the \$6 charge allowed by the FCC.

"Illinois Bell's charge is considerably less than the national average because our costs of providing service are much lower," said Fred K. Konrad, Illinois Bell assistant vice president.

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Student loan proposals encouraging to officials

By Rick Arnold
Staff affiliate

Local college officials are encouraged by two proposals from Gov. James Thompson designed to help students and parents offset the skyrocketing cost of college tuition.

However, they caution that the proposed programs wouldn't be effective unless they would help all those seeking financial aid and unless those receiving loans would pay them back on schedule.

"Any assistance that can be given students and their families I feel is certainly warranted," said Belleville Area College President Joe Cipri.

"One thing I would say, though, is that in one loan program (proposed by Thompson), we would need to make sure that the recipients honor their part of the deal."

Thompson's two proposals call for a new college savings program and a new student loan

program. Both proposals are contained in legislation currently being considered by the General Assembly.

Under the college savings program, formally titled the Illinois Opportunity Scholarship program, families would be able to establish investment programs at their local financial institutions.

"Families will be instructed as to how to make investments in the scholarship program," the governor said in a prepared statement.

"Families may opt to save money through payroll deduction, pre-authorized payments from checking or savings accounts, coupon books or lump sum payments."

Thompson said the scholarship program is modeled after the College Savings Bond program, which was held last year.

In the bond program, families made a one-time purchase of bonds that will accrue interest

until their maturity date.

Frank Grandfield, financial aid coordinator at McKendree College in Lebanon, Ill., acknowledged the bond program was "a huge success."

But he questioned whether all the bonds were sold to their intended target audience.

"I think, in a lot of cases, you had wealthy 80-year-old guys go in and plunk some money down and walk out with a bond," Grandfield said.

Grandfield said he hopes the scholarship program would be more selective in deciding who could qualify for the program. Under the program, students could borrow:

• A maximum of \$2,625 in each of their first two years in college.

• A maximum of \$4,000 for each remaining year of undergraduate study.

• A maximum of \$7,500 for each year of graduate school.



HOUSE GUEST: Cynthia Coakley, Miss Junior Illinois, was a special guest of the Illinois House of Representatives in Springfield on April 5. The House passed a resolution, offered by Rep. Sam Wolf, D-Granite City, congratulating Coakley and wishing her well in her future endeavors. She addressed the representatives on her future quest for Miss Junior America, a competition scheduled for November in Miami, Fla. Shown with Coakley are, from left, David Coakley, her father, Joanne Coakley, her mother, and Rep. Wolf. A resident of Pontoon Beach, she is a senior at Granite City High School.

Poshard, Costello call school plan inadequate

By Mylene Moreno
P-R/J Washington bureau

WASHINGTON — Illinois Rep. Glenn Poshard, D-Carbondale, sharply criticized President Bush's \$441 million education initiative last week by calling the seven proposed programs "cosmetic" and questioning Bush's commitment to education.

The Educational Excellence Act of 1989 would use awards and competitive grants to recognize scholastic achievement, develop anti-drug programs, and assist magnet schools, Bush said.

"It would also add \$441 million to his fiscal 1990 education budget request, which had remained at the 1989 level of \$2.9 billion, according to Department of Education spokesman Mike Becker.

Specifically, the proposed leg-

islation calls for seven initiatives, including an award program for exemplary elementary and secondary schools, another for meritorious teachers and one that would grant 570 college scholarships to graduating seniors who have excelled in mathematics, science and engineering.

Bush's proposal would also give grants to urban districts for anti-drug programs, to outstanding magnet schools, to states trying to implement flexible certification programs for teachers and to the endowments of black colleges and universities.

Poshard, who is a former teacher and administrator, denounced the approach as a rhetorical substitute for meaningful education reform, saying the programs have "absolutely no bearing on our ability to turn

the education systems in this country around."

Current funding levels are inadequate, according to Poshard. Consequently, he said, education's basic budgetary needs are not being met.

"Most of the schools identified in the proposal (for achievement awards) are in areas with the property tax base to support their programs, and 570 scholarships are not enough," Poshard added.

In his district and across the country, school systems need more than merit awards to reinvigorate their programs, he said. Poshard also noted that his district needs money for "better teacher training, vocational training, special education programs, (and) in the post-secondary areas we need more Pell Grants" — federal need-based

grants for undergraduates.

Bush, who wants to be remembered as the "education president," also encountered criticism last week from another member of the Illinois Congressional delegation, U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello, D-Bellefonte.

Costello agrees with Poshard that the education initiatives are not enough. "Since all things vital to this country — our future leaders, our trade, our economic strength — are tied to excellence in education, it is our best interest to invest in this area," Costello said.

At first glance, the initiatives appear to address real educational needs and they are a "good start," Costello said. Still, he said, "This is hardly the significant increase needed to place Mr. Bush in the history books as the education president."

Kindergarten registration slated

Granite City School District 9 has announced registration dates for children who will be entering kindergarten in August 1989.

Registration will be held from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on the following dates at these schools:

Monday, May 1: Frohardt School, 2940 Johnson Road; Webster School, East 25th and Kate

streets.

Tuesday, May 2: Niedringhaus School, 29th and State streets; Wilson School, 2400 Wilson Ave.

Wednesday, May 3: Marshall School, Marshall Avenue and Victory Drive; Mitchell School, 316 East Chain of Rocks Road.

Thursday, May 4: Maryville School, 4651 Maryville Road; Parkview School, 3200 Maryville

Road.

Friday, May 5: Prather School, 2900 West 25th St.

Parents should bring their child to the appropriate school during the times listed.

To be eligible for registration, a child must be age 5 before Sept. 1, 1989, and proper health examinations must be completed before the start of the fall term.

Foundation awards grants

Union Pacific Foundation will begin distributing grant checks totaling \$55,000 to 10 institutions in Illinois. It was announced by Charles N. Olsen, president of Union Pacific Foundation. Final distribution will be made in October to United Way organizations.

Among Illinois recipients in 1989 are, in Chicago: Associated Colleges of Illinois; Chicago Educational Television Association; Chicago Theater Group; United Way/Crusade of Mercy and the

University of Chicago.

Other Illinois recipients include: in Fairview Heights, Illinois Center for Autism; in Granite City, Tri-Cities Area United Way; in Highland Park, Ravina Festival Association; and in Tuscola, The Museum Association of Douglas County and the United Way of Douglas County.

United Way funds all go to a general fund and cannot be allocated specifically by the foundation, a spokesman said.

Hospice meeting planned April 21

Hospice of Southern Illinois, Belleville, will present its spring conference Friday, April 21, in the Jubilee Room at Fischer's Restaurant in Belleville.

Registration is at 8:15 a.m. Theme of the conference is "Hospice Care from Beginning to End."

Michael Frederick, M.D., medical director, will speak on "Pain Control." He will then moderate a panel in which members of the Hospice staff discuss "The Team Approach to Patient Care," outlining day to day patient care in an actual case.

Registration is \$20 (\$15 for students) if postmarked by April 14; \$5 additional is charged after that date. Lunch and conference materials are included.

For information, Sr. Mary Simpson can be called at 234-4410 or the Hospice office can be contacted at 235-1705.

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Gradie White

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. today at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., where funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, with the Rev. Phil Simcosky officiating. Burial will be at St. John Cemetery in Granite City. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Stella Hayes

Visitation will be held Friday at Tri City Park Tabernacle from 4 to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be at Tri City Park Tabernacle, Clark and Maryville Road, Granite City Saturday, April 15, at 11 a.m. with the Rev. George Rosenthal officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates near Edwardsville.

Ross

Funeral services were held April 8 at Anglin Funeral Home in Dover, with burial at Birchman Ross Cemetery in Indian Mound. Memorials may be made to Bea Springs Baptist Church, Bea Springs, Tenn. 37058.

If you see news...

If you see news, call the *Press-Record Journal* at 877-7700 and ask for the news editor, Mike Myers.

Grady

Singleton

Steve Wayne Singleton, 46, of Granite City died at 4:42 a.m. today, Thursday, April 13, 1989, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He had been ill with heart disease and had undergone open-heart surgery two years ago.

Mr. Singleto
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Arrangements are pending.
Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 22
Madison Ave. Those who wish for
further information may call 87-
6500.

Trivia

George Nemeth of Granite City High School won the state wrestling title in the 95-pound class in 1957. Nemeth was the first individual from Granite City to win the state championships since Charlie Merzla won the 112-pound title in 1946.

• Douglas

retaining the judges.
"That doesn't have anything

- Move

"We're trying to work with the only building that has the problem," Walmsley said. "Except for Niedringhaus, we have a good reserve of expansion space in all our buildings."

Ward boundary, new police discussed

Klein Street would become the new boundary separating the two wards, he said.

such a hardball game in Granite City."

grind."

Webster is being closed permanently, and Lake School reopened. Prather, formerly junior high school, currently serves elementary pupils.

ce discussed

Beach police had purchased six cars from Diversified and were pleased with them.

"Wait a minute," said Echols. "We're \$200,000 in debt right now!"

Alderman Charles Hay said, "Maybe we can get somebody to finance them."

Alderman George Lewis said, "If it's a good buy, let's do it."

Police Chief Farris Smith asked how many cars he needed replacing, but after some discussion he said he could do with four or even three.

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As the title of this twice monthly column suggests, I firmly believe that we should actually live every day that we are alive. While this may sound like a redundant statement, in reality, there is a great difference between living and simply existing. The greatest gift that we have is life, yet many choose merely to exist, never really live.

One of the definitions of life that appears in Webster's Dictionary, defines life as 'vitality'. I think that vitality is what life is all about. Vitality by its very nature means involvement and action. What


better way to really live than to get involved and be where the action is.

Many of us never get involved, we set back and let others make life's decisions for us. The late humorist Sam Levinson had a great line that went, "When I was a child, my parents made my decisions for me, now I'm a parent and my children make my decisions for me, when will I ever get to do what I want to do?"

The obvious answer is never, not if we don't take the bull by the horns and begin to make our own decisions, begin to really be involved, begin to be vital.

It's so convenient to withdraw and let someone else make every decision for us. By doing that we avoid all responsibility for failure, but far more importantly we miss the true joy of success. Failure is an important part of life, it is a learning process, don't be afraid of it. After all, what is the freedom we have fought so hard to protect, but the right to try whatever we want to, and to sometimes fail?

Make an April resolution, starting today, take charge of your life. Whether they are right or wrong, make your own decisions about life.



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National Safety Council warns adults of accidental poisonings

More than 5,000 Americans died in 1987 from accidental poisoning, according to the National Safety Council. While most poisoning incidents involve children, the majority of fatal poisoning victims are adults.

Misuse of medications and accidental carbon monoxide poisoning are common types of adult poisonings in the home. The council suggests these tips to prevent accidental poisoning by medicines and carbon monoxide:

Medications
• Read medicine labels carefully and obey your prescriptions. Do not take medicine in dim light or darkness, when you may not be able to read warning labels.
• Never mix medications, take more than what is prescribed, or use someone's else's prescribed medicine.
• If you take medication, do

not use alcohol or other drugs. Such combinations can produce dangerous chemical reactions.

• Keep detailed records of the medications you take, the dosages administered, and the times of day when the medication is ingested. Include in your records both prescribed and over-the-counter drugs. Show your physician your records if you experience any side effects from a medication, receive a prescription for a new medication, and during routine examinations.

• Clean out medicine cabinets periodically. Discard unlabeled or outdated medications.

Carbon Monoxide
Carbon monoxide is a colorless, odorless, tasteless gas formed as a normal by-product of combustion. It is naturally found in small, harmless concentrations in the atmosphere. But when a home has incomplete

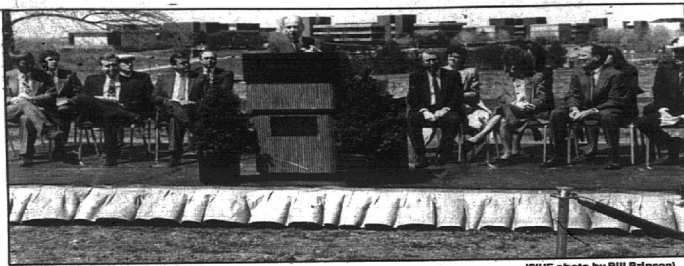
combustion or inadequate ventilation, a larger-than-normal concentration of this toxic gas results.

To help prevent carbon monoxide poisoning in your home, follow these tips:
• Keep chimneys, stovepipes, flues and connections clean and in good repair. Have them inspected annually by a qualified individual.

• Use fuel burning stoves, space heaters and other appliances only in strict compliance with the manufacturer's recommendations. If you use them, keep your home well-ventilated.

• Do not operate charcoal grills indoors or in enclosed areas.

• Install a carbon monoxide monitor in your home. This is a small, inexpensive device that indicates hazardous levels of carbon monoxide by a change in color.



(SUE photo by Bill Edmonson)

GROUND BROKEN FOR UNIVERSITY PARK: President Earl Larson of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville addressed groundbreaking ceremonies for University Park on Friday afternoon on a wooded knoll south of the campus core. He said, "University Park, working through institutions that we hope will take advantage of the opportunities provided here... will benefit citizens of Southwestern Illinois, the region, state and nation by encouraging the human development of people and the betterment of the quality of life." The 300-acre facility was dedicated for corporate, government and nonprofit research laboratories, training centers and prototype manufacturing facilities. Federal, state and local officials, dignitaries from state and local growth associations, and other state, regional, university and community leaders participated in the ceremonies.

Granite City sticker sales going slowly

GRANITE CITY — City sticker sales are going slowly, according to City Clerk Bob Stevens, and time is running out for the reduced price.

The cost of a city sticker for a car will double, from \$5 to \$10, May 15. At the same time, the cost for motorcycles will go from \$3 to \$5 and the cost for trucks over one ton will also increase.

The cost for trucks currently varies from \$10 to a maximum of \$31 based on vehicle weight. Senior citizens may purchase one vehicle sticker per family at a cost of \$1. To get the discount, the sticker must be purchased at the Granite City Township Hall, 2060 Delmar Avenue. Persons must bring the vehicle registration card and their driver license.

Disabled persons may purchase one \$1 sticker per family at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 2000 Edison Ave., by bringing in a driver license and proof of disability. In addition to the City Hall and the Township Hall, city stickers may be purchased during business hours at the following places:

Magna Bank, three locations: 20th Street and Edison Avenue, Bellemore Village Shopping Center, and Pontoon and Maryville roads.

Central Bank, two locations: 24th Street at Madison Avenue, and Felling and Nameoki roads, Madison County Savings and Loan, 3600 Nameoki Road.

Robertson will speak

The Citizens Committee for Good Government, a group promoting Christian ethics in government and traditional family values, will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday at Fischer's Restaurant in Belleville.

The speaker will be the Rev. Earl Robertson of the 700 Club. He sought the Republican presidential nomination in 1988.

Tickets are \$10 each. Those who wish more information, may call 398-3982 during the evening.

Irish roots to be topic of meeting

The monthly meeting of the Madison County Genealogical Society will be held Thursday, April 13, at 7 p.m. at Immanuel United Methodist Church, 800 N. Main St., Edwardsville.

Kevin Kelly will speak on "How to Prepare for Irish Research in the U.S. and in Ireland." He will also discuss how Irish history and culture affect Irish genealogy.

He has served as president of the St. Louis Genealogical Society as well as recording secretary, surname index chairman and fair chairman.

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The United Methodist Women of Niederrhous United Methodist Church, 20th and Delmar, will host a Swiss steak dinner from 4:30 to 7 p.m. Friday. Tickets are \$4.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children. Meals will include Swiss steak, baked potato, green beans, salad, rolls and dessert; carryouts will be available. Tickets can be purchased at the church office.

Susan Sontag, a fiction writer, essayist, cultural critic, and director, will present an analysis of language used to identify diseases at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 19, in the Communications Building Theater on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Tickets are \$6 for the general public and \$1 for students.

Fairs & Festivals

The Midwest Hookbill (parrot) Club will hold its sixth annual show and bird fair Saturday at Day's Inn, Lake St. Louis. Bird registration at a cost of \$1 will begin at 6 a.m. and activities will go on until 5:30 p.m. Admission is free.

Meetings

The Family Support Group, for families of the chronically mentally ill, will meet from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 18, at Mental Health Services, 2024 State St. The service is free of charge to Madison County families. The group meets on the third Tuesday of each month. For information, persons may call 877-4420.

Southern Illinois Divorced/Separated Catholics will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday for an anniversary Mass at St. Boniface Church, 110 N. Buchanan, Edwardsville. A wine and cheese social will follow the service. For more information, the number is 465-1463.

The St. Louis Concert of Prayer will sponsor an all-night prayer gathering of Christians for spiritual awakening and evangelization from 7 p.m. Friday to 7 a.m. Saturday at Memorial Presbyterian Church, 201 South Skinker, St. Louis. Several breaks will be provided for those unable to stay all night. All religious denominations are welcome.

Class of '59 being sought

The June 1959 graduating class of Granite City High School is planning a reunion on Aug. 12.

Anyone knowing the current address of the following list of classmates is being asked to contact Terry Papa, 831-0403, or Bill Schreiber, 292-0608.

Patricia A. (Wilcox) Abernathy, Barbara Allen, Sharon (Daniels) Ariana, Carl Baker, Rosetti Mae Behrends, Mary Lee (Kiel) Burcham, Joannina Cerutti, Judy (Fry) Childers, Donald Cobb, James Collins, Beverly Cottrell, David Davies, Janice Early, Ann Edmonds, Mary Edwards, David Ellis, Delores Ezell, Mary Lee Fowler, Farouk Fouad.

Also, Mary Fox, Kay Gordy, Karen Hagler, Pat Hickman, Roberta Anne Hicks, Charles Holder, Bonnie (Carter) Hubler, Eva Janco, Terrell Johnson.

Alfred Justice, Leonard Kuebler, Janice Kuengler, George Lake, Edna Lewis, Alan Lovin, Elberta Lowe, Jerome Luczak, Phyllis McBrian, Mary Ellen McCoy, John W. McIntyre, Phyllis McMillan, Larry Myers, Florence Noah.

Also, Linda Kay O'Bryne, Gene Petty, Curtis Russell, Lois (King) Sansoucie, Jeannie Scarsdale, Jack Schermer, Charles Schuerger, Terry Smith, Jerry Stacey, Elaine Starling.

Also, Gwen Stockman, Sharon Stoops, Louise Sullivan, Thomas Tempel, Carolyn Tindall, Larry Tomlinson, Donald Townzen, Paul Utley, Patricia Walker, Larry Webb, David West, Mary Pat Willard, Edward Withers, Carl Wood and Eugenia Woodward.



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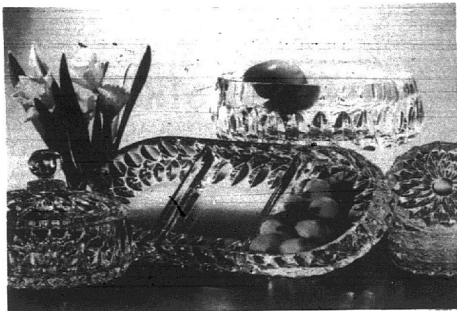
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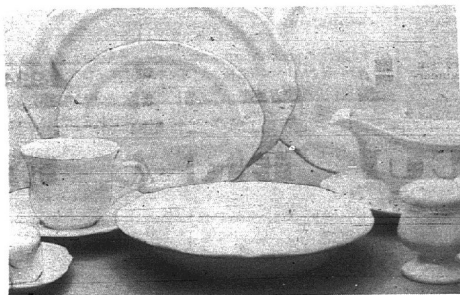
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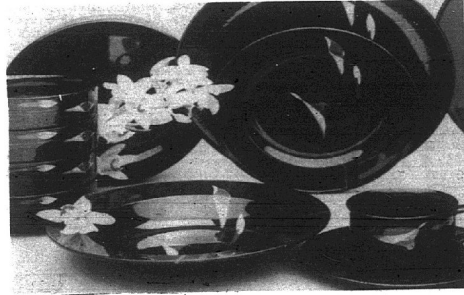
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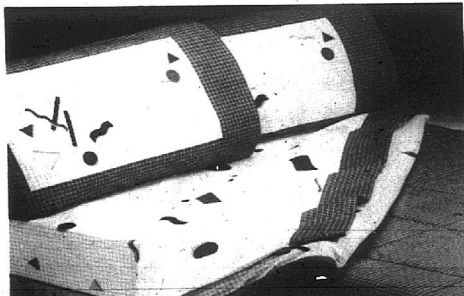
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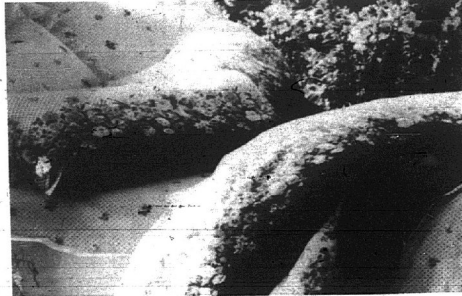
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Area PTA hosts dinner

The 38th annual Granite City Area PTA Council awards dinner was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

President Don Kopp welcomed and introduced guests, including: Jolene Terrell, District 9 school board president; District 9 Superintendent Gib Walmsley; PTA District 29 Director Lynn Votapaul; B.J. Davis, former Granite City school superintendent, and his wife, Merna; and Dale Rea, former assistant to the superintendent, and his wife.

Elementary school principals were introduced, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by Art Menendez, principal of Maryville School.

The invocation was given by Marcia Barron and the dinner was prepared and served by Jerry's Cafeteria.

Officers chosen for 1989-90 were: Cheryl Smick, president; Dr. Goni Michaeloff, vice president; Sandy Anderson, recording secretary; Kristen Hamilton, corresponding secretary; and Art Menendez, treasurer.

In an awards presentation, June Branding received a special award for outstanding achievement in Granite City schools and PTA organizations.

Entertainment was provided by Epphardt School PTA mothers Nancy Ballew, Nancy Houk, Diane Simon, Marcia Barron, Robin Ballew, Leslie Stovall and Tammy Gracey who sang a medley of Beatles' songs and received a standing ovation from the audience.

Symphony offers half-price student tickets

The St. Louis Symphony Orchestra has announced that half-price season subscriptions for students are available for the orchestra's 110th anniversary, 1989-90 season.

Discounts up to 50 percent off are available for high school and college students for the three main series offered by the orchestra — the Orchestra, Chamber Orchestra and Pops at Powell Series.

The Orchestral Series, which opens on Sept. 15, features some of the most acclaimed artists in the world such as Pinchas Zukerman, Isaac Stern and Emanuel Ax. Several young artists, including violinists Viktoria Mullova, Nadia Salerno-Sonnenberg and Anne Akiko Meyers, will make their St. Louis symphony debuts during the season.

Maestro Leonard Slatkin has planned a season which, in his

words, includes "everything from established masterpieces to new adventures." Repertoire includes masterpieces by Beethoven, Brahms and Respighi plus four world premieres and other 20th-century American works. Varied subscriptions are available ranging from three to 24 concert.

The five-concert Chamber Orchestra series, under the direction of Principal Guest Conductor Raymond Leppard, features a more intimate ensemble performing works by Mozart, Vivaldi, Schubert and others. The Pops at Powell Series will be led by the ever-popular conductor, Richard Hayman, and has featured performances of music from the 1950s and '60s, popular movie themes and the Big Band sound of the 1940s.

The student sales office phone number is (314) 533-2500.

Grigsby singers win awards

Grigsby Junior High School students participated in the 1989 District Solo and Ensemble contest held in Alton.

The following soloists received first place medals: John Buxton, Stephanie Jacobs, Chad Martin, Laura Patton, Amy Rainer, Christine Rice, Melissa Sammons, Heather Sanders and Tara Wyatt.

Second place medals were awarded to Melinda Daniels and Lisa Fernandez.

In ensemble competition, one group received a second place rating, three others received first place ratings and the swing choir received a first superior rating.

Students performing in the swing choir and first place ensembles include: Jamie Baker, Lonnie Bettis, John Buxton, Melinda Cooper, Melinda Dan-

iels, Heather Dix, Lisa Fernandez, Chad Martin, Laura Patton, Terry Prather, Amy Rainer, Christina Rice, Melissa Sammons, Heather Sanders, Rebecca Schwab, Sacha Scott, Lorrie Trower, Jennifer Wells, Jeremy Zaruba and Stephanie Jacobs.

Performing in other ensembles were: Laura Baggett, Brett Barron, Jamie Beaver, Heather Carlson, Michelle French, Chris Glasgow, Amanda Kelley, Jeremy Lewis, Chris Martin, Stephanie Marshall, Stephanie McDowell, Jennifer Scheerer, Shannon Wolfe, Tara Wyatt, Jennifer Wells, Lisa Buske and Kim York.

The students are directed by vocal instructor Deloris Barker. Piano accompaniment was provided by Susan Guetensberger.

Avid readers earn tickets to Six Flags

Josephine Wagner, Marshall School Chapter I reading teacher, has announced that 84 students have qualified for the 600-minute Reading Club.

The club is part of the "Read to Succeed" program sponsored by Six Flags. The program's goal is to encourage recreational reading in elementary school youngsters.

Each child at Marshall who completed the minimum 600 minutes of recreational reading between Jan. 29 and March 10 will receive a free admission to Six Flags good any day during June.

Receiving free admissions are:

First grade: Jimmy Griffin, Celeste Clayton, George Brooks, Marian Hersom, Rachel Whitehead, Tony Click, Kenneth

Yeager, Kathleen Southerland, Ashley Weber, Nicholas Wilson, William Cahill, Candace Middleton, Sarah Waits and Wesley Smith.

Second grade: Shannon Brown, Sandy Coad, Jacob Knuckles, Tracy Gelske, Erica Brawley, Tara Tullock, and Johnny Smith.

Third grade: Christopher Lemp, Jennifer Garner and Joe Sittin.

Fourth grade: Salina Morlen, Ty Weber, Michelle Endicott, Carrie Boner, Danny Bronbauer, Michael Clay, Donald Copeland, Eric Correa, David Glaspie, Tracy Hicks, Deanna Jones, John Margrave, Emily Mathes, Shaun Miller, Travis Revelle, Tina Sturgeon, Steve Taylor, Aaron Waits, Richard Warren, Billy Watson, Sueann

Smith, Chris Zigler, and Olivia Holloway.

Fifth grade: Crystal Brannham, Kathleen Hersom, Jason Windbeck, Cheryl Dahmm, Mandy Morlen, Amy Colp, Jessica Mayes, Kerl Cahill, Nick Downs, April Nelson, Jill Ahlvers, Brandi Browning, Aaron Fowler, Joshua Kee, Stoy Madison, Carrie Whitehead, Angela Carney, Rebecca Mitchell, Robert Jones, Denny Jones, Angela Stark, Chris Brown, Amber Sittin and Krystal Anderson.

Sixth grade: Jennifer Beck, Sablin Tullock, Dottie Hersom, Larry Finley, Amy Boring, Jason Alvarado, Eddie Hahn, Kelley Williamson, Jessica Marrs, Jeff Crain, Jason Hitchcock, Heather Mathes and Salena Turnbough.



HONORED: Susan R. Murphy, a freshman at Monmouth (Ill.) College, will appear in the "National Dean's List of the United States" publication for 1989. Majoring in physical therapy, she was also accepted into the Alpha Lambda Delta honor society. A 1988 graduate of Granite City High School, Susan is the daughter of Bill and Mary Anne Murphy of Granite City.

VLTC students raise \$504 for leukemia researchers

The Gateway Chapter of the Leukemia Society of America, in conjunction with southern Illinois, eastern Missouri and Arkansas, has sponsored its seventh annual tri-state type-a-thon.

Typing students at the Venice-Lincoln Technical Center took a timed typing test and collected pledges for each word they typed.

The 18 participating students raised \$504. It was sent to the Leukemia Society, a non-profit agency dedicated to research, patient-aid and education.

Linda Svezia, typing/clerical instructor, coordinated the event. An award was given to Romona Young of Venice, the top collector, who raised \$100 in pledges and donations.

Other participants were: Maggie Bell, Janice Broaden, Mar-

tha Dickerson, Valerie Dickerson, Treva Fischer, Victoria Hodges, Cleatus Houston, Delores Jobe, Gloria Jones, Marilyn Morgan, Mary Phipps, Verlean Pointer, Sherry Silliers, Sharon Stallions, Ruth Strong, Rachel Walker and Barbara Warren.

The type-a-thon provides an opportunity for students to sharpen their typing skills while giving others the opportunity to live longer lives.

Venice-Lincoln Technical Center offers free GED (general educational development) preparation classes to local adults. Vocational training in business/clerical, nurse assistant, machine shop and welding also are offered. For more information, the VLTC phone number is 874-7792.

Makes dean's list at Rose-Hulman

Following the end of the winter quarter, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, Terre Haute, Ind. has announced the names of 404 undergraduate students placed on the dean's list.

David F. Maxwell of Granite

City was among those students who maintained at least a 3.3 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

Maxwell is a sophomore student majoring in civil engineering.

Secretaries meet

The Future Secretaries of Madison High School had Sheila Morgan as guest speaker at their monthly meeting in March.

Morgan, of the Granite City School of Beauty Culture, discussed "How to be Dressed and Groomed for the Job Interview."

In other business, the group is planning its spring banquet for May 4.

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One local resident was among those selected. Keith Johnson of Granite City, a physics major, was chosen based on his commitment to and capability for research.



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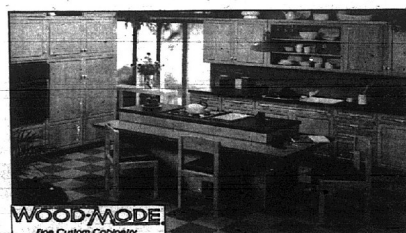
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TOWN & COUNTRY

NEW MEMBER: Adam Klee, a junior at Granite City High School, has been selected as a new member by the Outstanding High School Students of America based on outstanding merit and accomplishment. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Wyatt of Granite City and Mr. and Mrs. John Klee of Edwardsville.

Editorials

Bar poll could prove helpful

Regardless of the outcome of balloting by circuit judges later this month to choose a new associate judge, Chief Circuit Judge Paul J. O'Neill was wise to request an Illinois State Bar Association poll of lawyers' views of the final two candidates.

As it turned out, the lawyers recommended one of the aspirants and voted to not recommend the other finalist. The judges of the 3rd Circuit are not required to follow the advice, but it is in the public interest for the judges to be as well informed as

possible when making this kind of decision.

A related thought is that Illinoisans should keep in mind the past furor over allegedly extreme political pressure to appoint or endorse various individuals for court positions. Most of those allegations centered around St. Clair County. Madison County should take care not to follow a similar path.

All citizens, not just a few influential people, need and deserve the highest caliber of judges.

Cruse should pick also-ran

Mayor Von Dee Cruse, now contemplating his choice for 1st Ward alderman to replace the late Everett Morlen, should choose Dan Churovich, the man who placed second in the April 4 election behind incumbent Casmer Skubish.

Recently the mayor said he had no idea who to appoint to the position, and we have to ask ourselves why. Anytime someone is willing to campaign for an office, he should be given consideration. Churovich finished with 257 votes — one third of those cast

for the three candidates. He finished strongly against a well-known incumbent.

Churovich, 34, is a local high school graduate and now a welder. He could well represent the interests of a ward that is largely industrial.

Sometimes the best potential public officials are those who never make it to office. Why not go with someone who has expressed an interest and whose age and thoughts would complement the ward's other alderman?

Heart-warming response to fire

Fires bring tales of tragedy, but frequently they also spell out the resolve of a community to clean up the damage left behind. Such was the case last week with the blaze that swept through a Granite City school and church and the overwhelming response that followed.

The Gateway Christian Academy at Mount Zion General Baptist Church at Benton and 21st streets burned to the ground, but the spirit that held the church together was not destroyed. In fact, it filtered out among neighbors, fellow clergymen and people who knew little or nothing about the congregation. Together they banded for a solution.

Within days of the fire, 41 students of the school relocated to temporary space offered by St.

Peter's Evangelical United Church of Christ at Cleveland Boulevard and 21st Street.

The church meantime is having services at First Christian Church on Maryville Road.

Pastor Larry G. Hunt said the 100-member congregation will rebuild. Insurance has covered the damage, but it can do little to cover the hurt that the members feel. The blaze appeared to have been intentionally set, and we support the efforts of law enforcement to find the individuals responsible.

In the interim the groundswell of support will help the rebuilding effort go that much more efficiently. It is refreshing to see people band together — and in such a short time. But once again Granite Citians did it.

Mel Price's dream coming true?

A dream held by the late Congressman Melvin Price when he was chairman of the Senate-House Committee on Atomic Energy may be coming true. It is nuclear fusion, the next step after nuclear fission (splitting of the atom), which was first achieved in the 1940s.

A researcher at the University of Utah and a colleague from England said March 23 they had fused atoms at room temperature using equipment available in any college laboratory.

A chemist at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology said April 6 his effort to duplicate the feat had been unsuccessful. But on April 10 two independent research groups (at Texas A&M and Georgia Tech) said they had at least partially confirmed the success of

the Utah approach. Energy definitely was created, they said.

Decades may pass before controlled fusion reactions are perfected, but if it works there could be a new energy source cheaper and safer than present nuclear-powered electricity generating plants.

Much controversy has developed in Illinois and nationally over whether power should be supplied by fission plants, which worry people over safety and cost, or fossil fuel plants, which pollute the air.

It may be a long time from now, but such concepts as fusion and super-conductivity (related to the collider project recently awarded to Texas rather than Illinois) could make the fission-coal debate obsolete.



Letters

Lithuanians seeking freedom

To the editor:

Don't be surprised if you see tri-colored flags, yellow, green and red, waving along with the U.S. flag on holidays such as Memorial Day and the 4th of July. The flag is that of Lithuania.

At the annual Lithuanian Independence celebration last month in East St. Louis, I challenged members of the area's Lithuanian-American community and all Americans to fly the flags on all patriotic holidays of both countries as a way of taking up the cause of freedom.

Lithuania proclaimed its independence Feb. 16, 1918, and for 22 years enjoyed a renaissance in national literature, cultural and economic progress. But on June 15, 1940, the Soviet Union invaded and later forcibly annexed Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia.

In the next seven years 30,000 Lithuanians died in direct confrontation and

350,000 were shipped to Siberia to work in labor camps where many died. The United States condemned the annexation in 1940 and continues to support Baltic self-determination.

Under Mikhail Gorbachev's Glasnost (openness) and Perestroika (restructuring) the oppression in Lithuania appears to be easing somewhat. This year, residents were finally allowed to fly their national flag.

The Lithuanian-American community watches these events with keen interest. Hope has been kindled, but there is great suspicion that Glasnost and Perestroika will be more window dressing than actual fact.

Lithuanian descendants interested in learning more of their heritage and culture may contact me at 234-0676.

KEN KIBORT
Belleville (former Granite Citian)

Another perspective of 'BD' issue

To the editor:

This is a rebuttal to the article: "BD kids: Why does Johnny misbehave?"

Could it possibly be related to negative conceptions and theories echoed from our community "BD" educational staff?

It's understandable that "behaviorally disordered" students require special educational attention. However, it's difficult comprehending why the Madison County Region 1 special education director would deliberately betray, understate and label these children as "brain damaged" and "different than everybody else."

I ask you, is it a standard practice in our special education program to express degrading hypothetical opinions in-class, since their alleged "brain

damage" may prevent them from reading about it in their local newspaper?

Some special educators indicated inconsistent theories as to "why does Johnny misbehave?"

From their theories, it's highly visible that not all special educators are singing from the same sheet of music. Maybe that's why "our area is very rich in special programming."

Let's put reality back in its proper perspective and feel relieved to know that all people can serve a meaningful life, regardless of physical and "chemical" differences.

Let's not share the same negative opinions about the "BD kids" as our special education officials.

SARAH CAMPBELL
Granite City

Control pollution more strictly

To the editor:

After reading an article in the Granite City Journal, I have become even more concerned about the millions of pounds of waste being emitted into our air. I feel that stricter laws should be introduced to resolve this problem.

Granite City Steel and other mills are emitting enormous amounts of chemicals, such as benzene, toluene and napthalene, into our atmosphere. Spokesmen for the Chicago Lung Association are reporting that such gases (depending on quantity) can cause many potentially harmful effects on health.

tially harmful effects on health.

The money now being used for unnecessary reasons, such as upgrading an already widely known and beautiful park, should be funneled into better technology for combatting air pollution.

Granted, new air pollution provisions will be costly, but if something is not done while we have the choice, the value and appearance of our city will decline — and we will have had no opportunity to better our city.

LYNN PENDEGRASS
Granite City

Congratulations from opponent

To the editor:

I congratulate the mayor on his victory and wish him the best of luck during the next four years. I am thankful to the citizens for their kindness; to my wife, Judi, who was a great help to me

during this campaign; and my friend, lucky Westbrook To my family and to my sister, Vivian Dine, who is an exceptional person, I love you, too.

ARCHIE LUPARDUS
Granite City

Letter from the Editor

By Dennis Grubaugh
Managing Editor



Stressing some facts on stress

The Granite City Rotary meeting this week convinced me if I don't slow down a bit I might speed right past "go" without collecting my \$200.

The program was on stress, and the speaker offered each participant a fill-in-the-blank test to determine just how stressed out we really were. I'd share the results of my test, but I'm afraid the additional stress would put me over the brink.

On the other hand, it looks like I've already red-lined, so I might as well go all the way.

Each question on the list of 43 was given a point value. The more stressful an event, the higher the points. For instance, the question, "Change in number of arguments with a spouse" was 35 points. My number of arguments hasn't changed so I didn't check that one.

The test only covered the last 12-month period, and it was recommended that we wait a few months and take it again. I'm all for that. It's kind of like the IRS policy on income averaging: If the last year was a good one and the next was so-so, add 'em up and divide by two.

A lot of stress comes from job changes. I got this cushy slot seven months ago, so you can imagine the points I racked up. I sweat began to pop out on my brow as the questions hit home. "Business readjustment?" Check. "Mortgage over \$10,000?" Check. "Change in financial state?" Check. "Sex difficulties?" Now, wait a minute.

There were also a series of questions that were borderline. "Change in recreation?" No. (Unless you count shifting my position on the couch.)

"Son or daughter leaving home?" No. (But the oldest is 7 and he keeps threatening.)

"Change in eating habits?" No. (Still living on Big Macs, Twinkies and beans and franks.)

"Change in work hours?" No. (Well, yes, but I went from 26 hours a day to 27, and frankly I didn't think anyone but my wife would believe me.)

I finished the test, stressing as it was. According to the results I died sometime between last February and last week. But me? I'm not worried.



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WINS GIFT CERTIFICATE: Laura Jansen, floor supervisor at Glik's, presents Tabitha Dugan with a \$75 children's gift certificate that Dugan won at Glik's through a Children's Week celebration. Glik's also gave out a \$50 children's gift certificate during Children's Week. The week spotlighted Glik's commitment to having the lowest prices in the metro area on children's sportswear.

Dr. Strotheide and staff at seminar

Dr. E. L. Strotheide and two members of his staff, Betty Peterson and Linda Babbs, have returned from Dallas, where they attended a Parker Chiropractic Research Foundation seminar at the Hyatt-Regency Hotel.

The four-day seminar included sessions on chiropractic techniques, including treatment of geriatric and pediatric spines, sports injuries, and automobile and workplace injuries.

While attending the classes, Strotheide paid particular atten-



DR. AND MRS. E. L. Strotheide and two members of Dr. Strotheide's staff are shown at the Hyatt-Regency Hotel in Dallas, where they attended a four-day chiropractic seminar. Seated: Mrs. Strotheide and Dr. Strotheide; standing: Linda Babbs and Betty Peterson.

Business briefs

tion to those dealing with effective doctor-patient communications. His staff concentrated on classes geared to managing an efficient and enthusiastic chiropractic office.

Babbs, the newest staff member at Strotheide's office, became a certified chiropractic assistant at this seminar. Peterson, who will celebrate her 20th year working for Dr. Strotheide this July, was awarded her advanced chiropractic assistant certificate.

Strotheide, whose office is located at 3412 Nametki Road, was accompanied to Dallas by his wife, Connie.

Granite native Cerro manager

Robert E. Conreux has been promoted from technical manager to plant manager, Cerro Copper Products Co., Saugat, announced Cerro President Henry L. Schweich.

Conreux has spent his entire professional career with Cerro, with the exception of a three-year period with Kennecott Refining, since graduating from Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., with a degree in metallurgical engineering in 1957.

In his career with Cerro, Conreux has been assistant electrolytic refinery superintendent; project metallurgical engineer; foundry, refinery and receiving superintendent; and, since 1986, technical manager.

He is an executive board member and past chairman of the St. Louis section of The American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, and is chairman of the Scholarship Fund Investment Committee. He is also a member of the Belleville Area College Industrial Training Advisory Committee.

A native of Granite City, Conreux is a member of Granite City Council 1098, Knights of Columbus. He is a board member of the Improvement Association of Arlington Heights, where he and his wife, Jo Ann, live.



Robert Conreux

Rep. Costello accepts business alliance honor

In a recent letter to Small Business Finance Alliance operations manager Debbie Groeteka, U.S. Rep. Jerry F. Costello accepted the position of honorary member of the Alliance board.

The position of honorary, non-voting membership was created by the Board in December.

Costello had served on the Alliance board from the inception of the organization in 1982 until his election to the House of Representatives in 1988.

"Jerry has been an important part of this organization from the beginning," said Alliance President Ron Wallace. "We're happy that he will continue his association with our work."

Wallace is president of Union Bank of East St. Louis. Other members of the Alliance board are:

Frank Thompson, member, Bond County Board.

James Sweeney, chairman, United Illinois Bank of Collinsville.

Harry Reichert Jr., Monroe County Board member.

William Badgley, chairman, Maize Grout Board.

Francis Touchette, chairman, St. Clair County Board.

Jerald Bartell, president, First National Bank of Sparta.

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Robert Hoffmann, executive vice president, First National Bank of Waterloo.

William Frank, chairman, First National Bank of Okawville.

Lester Campbell, chairman, Washington County Board.

Harold Byers, member, Madison County Board.

Robert Stille, member, Madison County Board.

Roger Riedemann, president, Bradford National Bank of Greenville.

Marc Hoffmann, supervisor, Lookingglass Township.

The Small Business Finance Alliance was created in 1982 by bankers and public officials representing Bond, Clinton, Madison, Monroe, St. Clair, Randolph and Washington counties.

The purpose of the private, nonprofit organization is to provide financing information and assistance to southwestern Illinois businesses which will result in job creation or retention.

The Alliance is a Small Business Administration 504 certified development loan company.

Shelter agent sponsoring scholarship

This spring, one 1989 graduate of Granite City High School will receive a \$1,000 scholarship from the Shelter Insurance Foundation.

The award will be sponsored, and partially funded by local Shelter agent Cheryl Crawford, who has participated in the scholarship program six years.

The recipient will be chosen by a committee of school officials and community leaders.

The committee will consider each applicant's scholastic achievements, educational goals, citizenship, moral character, and participation and leadership in school and community activities. The name of the scholarship winner will be announced at the close of the school year.

The scholarship may be applied toward tuition, fees, room and board for any course of study leading to an academic degree at any accredited college or university. Payment will be made directly to the school the winner selects.

Applications should be completed and returned to the school by March 31. For more information, interested seniors should contact their high school counselor or principal or Cheryl Crawford insurance agent.

Teen delivery drivers may be under-insured

By Nancy Watkins
Staff affiliate

Parents who allow their children to drive the family car to deliver pizzas could lose their insurance coverage, pay greatly increased rates or be sued unless they take proper precautions, according to insurance experts.

And, according to law enforcement authorities, teen-agers who deliver pizzas without having the state-required chauffeur's license could be fined or jailed.

A survey of regional insurance experts and legal authorities, plus three pizza franchise offices and 14 pizza store managers overseeing 550 drivers, indicated that confusion and differences of opinion exist about licensing and insurance requirements.

Some attributed the confusion to the relatively recent and large-scale growth of the pizza delivery industry. But authorities said that did not excuse pizza companies from complying with rules that had been on the books before the business began to grow.

Managers with the three pizza companies said they required proof of insurance on the vehicle being used for the deliveries. However, all but one said they thought the only insurance required to do the job was the minimum liability set by the law.

But Fred Schumpe, St. Louis branch manager for the Missouri Division of Insurance, a state agency that regulates the insurance industry, disagreed. He said the standard auto policy is not intended to cover those using their cars for deliveries.

Representatives from six major insurance companies said they would cancel coverage if they knew someone in the family was delivering pizzas.

"The main crux is that, with

the great majority, it will result in termination or non-renewal of the policy," said Mike Schumpe. "Or they would be taken from a preferred rate to a substandard level, where there would be a tremendous increase in premiums for the entire household."

Such a situation has happened "more than once," said Mike Bennett, head of the underwriting unit for American Family Insurance Co., who believes it is important that pizza delivery drivers have the proper amount of insurance.

Others concur. "When a teen-ager is rated as an occasional driver on his or her parents' vehicle, or is even rated as the principal driver on his own, that person is grossly mis-rated if the vehicle is being used for business," said Stan Kroening, claims branch manager for Shield of Shelter Insurance Co.

"As soon as we found out, we would ask them to pay the premium applicable to the use of the vehicle or tell them that we no longer wanted their business," he said.

Don Carter, vice president of underwriting for Millers Mutual, said his company probably would not cover young delivery drivers. Those who would be covered by some insurer, however, would find that a reclassification from private to business coverage would increase their rates by 30 to 40 percent, he said.

Betty Cushing, rate analyst for Auto Insurance Plan Service Office, a group that covers high-risk clients, said the standard rate for liability is nearly doubled for this kind of work. Liability for an unmarried male principal driver who is under 25 and who has no tickets or accidents would be \$1,161 a year.

She said rates increase dra-

'The police will hassle you once in a while, but you don't have to have a chauffeur's license. I delivered pizzas myself for a while and never had a chauffeur's license.'

Rick Glaser
Imo's Pizza

atically with the number of traffic violations.

Bennett, of American Family Insurance, also said his company would not insure this type of driver. He said prepared food delivery drivers have always been a high risk because of the urgency to deliver the food while it's still hot.

"Companies who are in the delivery business are dodging their responsibility asking drivers to provide their own insurance," Bennett said, adding that many companies are grossly understating minimum state requirements.

"And the state requirement that these companies are saying is enough is grossly inadequate," Bennett said.

He said the state requires all drivers to carry \$25,000 per person; \$50,000 per accident; and \$10,000 uninsured motorist liability coverage.

Bennet said that such minimum liability would not begin to cover someone severely injured in an accident.

Carter said inadequate limits on their liability could also cost people to lose assets, personal

property, money in the bank or their home.

"If a child who lives at home has an accident in a car that is registered in his parent's name, the parent could be liable," Carter said.

Roger Rydell, director of public relations for Pizza Hut Inc., said police advise drivers to inform their insurance company that they are delivering pizzas. He said Pizza Hut pays an additional allowance to cover any increase in premiums.

Fred Linders, area supervisor for Pizza Hut drivers, said the compensation was 50 cents per delivery.

Besides finding themselves uninsured, pizza delivery drivers who are improperly licensed could be spending their tips on fines.

Charles L. Ford, an attorney who also serves as a municipal judge in Valley Park, said the law clearly states if a person is transferring property and is getting paid for moving that property, he or she is required to have a chauffeur's license.

The law also states that a chauffeur's license "will not be

issued to anyone who is under the age of 18 years."

But most pizza store managers interviewed said they thought that the chauffeur's license was not required.

"The police will hassle you once in a while, but you don't have to have a chauffeur's license," said Rick Glaser, manager of Imo's Pizza in Bridgeport.

"I delivered pizzas myself for a while and never had a chauffeur's license," he said.

He also said he didn't have a minimum age requirement for his drivers, adding that he has hired 16-year-olds.

Glaser said, in a later interview, that he had never been informed about the laws.

Theresa Schaefer, office manager for MBR Management, the Domino's Pizza franchise office at 117 S. Main St. in St. Charles, which employs approximately 400 drivers, first said her franchise office did not require that its drivers obtain a chauffeur's license. When contacted again to tell her that some people believe such a license was required, Schaefer said, "I could be wrong."

Rydell, of Pizza Hut, said he didn't think a chauffeur's license was required, saying he thought that a drivers license was all that was needed.

Linders, also of Pizza Hut, agreed, saying some municipalities in St. Louis County required chauffeur's licenses, but the state didn't. When he was informed about the law, he said the confusion might come from its wording.

"Since pizza delivery is a pretty new thing, no one is exactly clear about what is required," Rydell said. "The wording of the law doesn't clarify if the license is required when you're driving someone else's car, or your own."

Five Pantera's managers were

contacted and none said they required a chauffeur's license.

Dixon, however, said A&M Pizza.

"All our drivers must get their chauffeur's license within 30 days after they are hired. It's compulsory," he said. "We even pay for it."

Wilson Delano, chief driver examiner with Troop C Headquarters, Missouri State Highway Patrol, said driving without the proper license could be costly.

"Of course we can't just go around stopping every delivery car we see, but if a delivery driver committed a traffic violation, and was stopped and ticketed, he or she could get another ticket for not having a chauffeur's license," he said.

"When it goes to court, the judge usually insists that you correct the violation, so that's \$15 for the license. He might just make you pay court costs, or he might also fine you or give you time in the city or county jail," Delano said.

He said the fine could range from \$100 to \$500 or a jail term of up to one year might be given if the driver had been in court before for other offenses.

"Owners or managers should be aware of the law, but probably the only time they see it is when they are filing for a permit," Delano said.

Several pizza delivery drivers and their parents were interviewed by the *Journal*, but all refused to allow their names to be used for fear of being fined or losing their auto insurance.

One driver said he was told by his manager not to tell the insurance company what he was doing or his rates would jump.

"Everybody tells you if you have an accident or get stopped by the police to say you're a cook and you're on your way home. You don't ever say you're a driver," he said.

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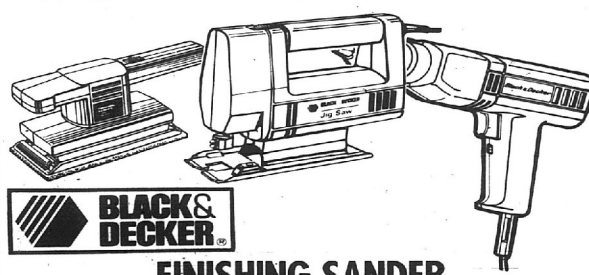
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Garesche, Maeras among mayors preceding Belcoff

John Belcoff was re-elected mayor of Madison last week but he still has a long way to go to catch up with the two longest-serving Madison mayors, Ferd Garesche and Steve Maeras.

Garesche, for whom a public housing project in Madison is named, led Madison for 32 years (1905-37) of the 51 years it was a village.

Maeras, for whom the city's industrial park is named, led Madison for 26 years (1942-70).

I FIRST MET Steve Maeras in the mid-1960s. He had been a 35-year accounting clerk for the late Charles L. Louis at the Madison Coal & Feed Co. and then a Madison war (armor) plant accountant before becoming mayor. During the '40s, he was still a nervous, inexperienced public speaker. But he advanced rapidly in

confidence and political skill as the years passed. In 1944, he formed the Fijan-Maeras Real Estate and Insurance Co. with the late Frank Fijan and, by the time he died of a sudden heart attack, Steve was a multi-millionaire, including land holdings in Florida and Texas.

Known as an expert bookkeeper and accountant, Maeras had frequent arguments with the Internal Revenue Service (some of which I overheard while waiting to talk to him). The IRS was unhappy with his federal income taxes but he always seemed to win those verbal jousts.

THE THREE SECRETS of his success in remaining in public office so long were patronage, services and a knack for directly confronting his political foes, sometimes arranging for neigh-

Regional Roundup

By Bill Winter



bors to stop being friendly with those who were temporarily in a political dispute with the mayor (or so some of them said).

Jobs were provided by the mayor on the staff of the city-owned Chain of Rocks Bridge as well as other Madison Municipal staffs. He called the toll bridge "the goose that lays golden eggs." When it had to be closed due to competition from free federal bridges, he replaced it to a degree by creating the city

industrial park.

He also managed to find jobs or perquisites for potential rivals for mayor, if they appeared to have wide voter appeal.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE meetings one time were enjoyed by Steve, but he eventually tired of them because, as he said, they were still dealing with issues and problems that Madison had solved 10 or 20 years before.

In September 1951, Maeras signed an ordinance eliminating city-related property taxes entirely for one fiscal year. Aided by bridge and industrial park income, Madison provided a wider variety of street, alley and other improvements and services than virtually any other city in the Midwest.

He pointed out those advantages whenever a citizen com-

plained too loudly about suspicious houses along State Street or suspicious gambling facilities on Second Street.

FAST APPROACHING its 100th anniversary, Madison became a village in 1891. When it was changed to a city in 1942, Maeras became its first mayor. (Previous top officials were sometimes called "mayor" but had the title of village president.)

A native of Rumania, Maeras led the "ethnic" group here to political dominance, in contrast to Madison's earlier governmental leaders.

Garesche, who died in 1938 at the age of 63, had ruled Madison and its political organization with what many recall was a "firm hand." He served simultaneously as a local state representative from 1912 to 1924 and

was the Democratic lieutenant governor nominee in 1924.

AN OFFICE BOY at the old American Car & Foundry Co. beginning in 1897, Garesche rose through a series of promotions to chief clerk and then, in 1907, to paymaster. He continued his association with the "car shops" in Madison until his death.

During the first several years of his administration of the village, Garesche was credited with paving four blocks of street, installing four miles of sidewalk, constructing the village hall, securing a fire department and planting 1,500 shade trees.

A pattern of accomplishment had been set, by which Garesche in his later years — followed by Bob Dron, Steve Maeras, Ray Kozielek, Mike Sasyk, Tom Gordon and John Belcoff — would be judged.

McPike: No tax boost will pass

By Dennis McMurray
Staff affiliate

SPRINGFIELD — The Legislature will not pass a state income tax increase like one Gov. James Thompson has urged the past two years, State Rep. Jim McPike, D-Alton, has predicted.

McPike, the House majority leader, said there "isn't a prayer" legislators this spring would pass the \$1.8 billion income tax increase the governor has advocated.

He was participating in a panel of legislative leaders that addressed a conference of the Illinois State Chamber of Commerce.

The increase in available money this spring was enough for an 8.5 percent jump in state support for education without an income tax hike, McPike said. He argued most legislators would consider that the \$880 million available for new state spending this year is adequate.

McPike also disputed that education is underfunded in the state. When all revenues are considered, Illinois ranks fifth in support per pupil, according to one study, he said.

"The question is whether the state should provide more and the local property tax less," McPike said.

Passing an income tax increase would be difficult

because it would be tied to revising the state school aid formula, which funnels more state money to districts with a low property tax base, he said.

To get Chicago suburban legislators' support, the formula might have to be changed to take money from poor districts and give them to rich districts, McPike added.

The chances of a gasoline tax increase this spring are also very slim, McPike said. The last time it was increased, in 1983, the governor and state transportation secretary had done a good selling job, he said.

This time, "the governor hasn't asked for one this year and, to my knowledge, the secretary of transportation hasn't given five speeches around the state pushing it."

On other issues, McPike said an agreement is likely this spring to adopt changes in the workers' compensation system recommended in a recently completed study.

Legislation pushed by the Illinois Hospital Association to require most employers to provide minimum levels of health insurance coverage to their workers will have a "tough time passing," McPike said.

"It appears to be about a 75 percent tax increase on a lot of small businesses. At this point, I could not support it," McPike added.

CF benefit dance Saturday

GRANITE CITY — The Mexican Honorary Commission Women's Auxiliary will host a benefit dance to aid the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 15, at 1801 Spruce St.

The public is invited to attend. Tickets will cost \$5 for adults and \$2 for children at the door. Mexican food will be available and beer and soda will be 25 cents a glass.

Proceeds will be contributed to the CF Foundation for research projects, the sponsors said.

The donation will be made in

the names of Joey Donaldson, 22, and Monica Hoelter, 1. Both are local residents who have cystic fibrosis.

CF is the No. 1 genetic killer of children and young adults in the United States with no known cure or long-term control, medical authorities have said.

The genetic disorder primarily attacks the lungs and digestive system, causing acute difficulties in breathing and digestion and eventually death.

One out of every 1,900 children is born with CF and one out of every 20 Americans is a "carrier" of the inherited CF trait.

Bike Ride Plus on May 6 to help diabetes research

The 17th annual Bike Ride Plus May 6 may have a different name this year, but it still is a vital tool of the American Diabetes Association.

The event formerly was called the Diabetes Bike-a-thon but was renamed this year to give it the same name as other ADA biking events throughout the country. The fund-raiser is a good example of the theory of "every little bit helps," said Gloria Hirsch, chairman of Bike Ride Plus.

This year's event also is co-sponsored by the Suburban Journal.

More than \$1.4 million has been raised for diabetes research in previous biking

fund-raisers. Riders raise money by soliciting pledges for each mile they plan to ride in the event, which will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 6 at seven locations, and from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 20 at Washington Park in Washington, Mo. The starting locations on May 6 are at the upper parking lot of The Municipal Opera in Forest Park; Hazelwood Junior High School at Shackleford and Humes in Florissant; the Riverport development on the south side of I-70 at the Earth City Expressway; Old Freeburg Road in Belleville; Silver Lake Park in Highland; and at the beginning of the bike route for the

Great River Road in Alton.

Riders raising at least \$50 will receive a T-shirt, and will be eligible to win other prizes including an Apple IIC computer, Italian racing bicycles, television sets, video cassette recorders, cameras, tickets to the Six Flags amusement park, and gift certificates to McDonald's restaurants. All riders will receive prizes for their participation.

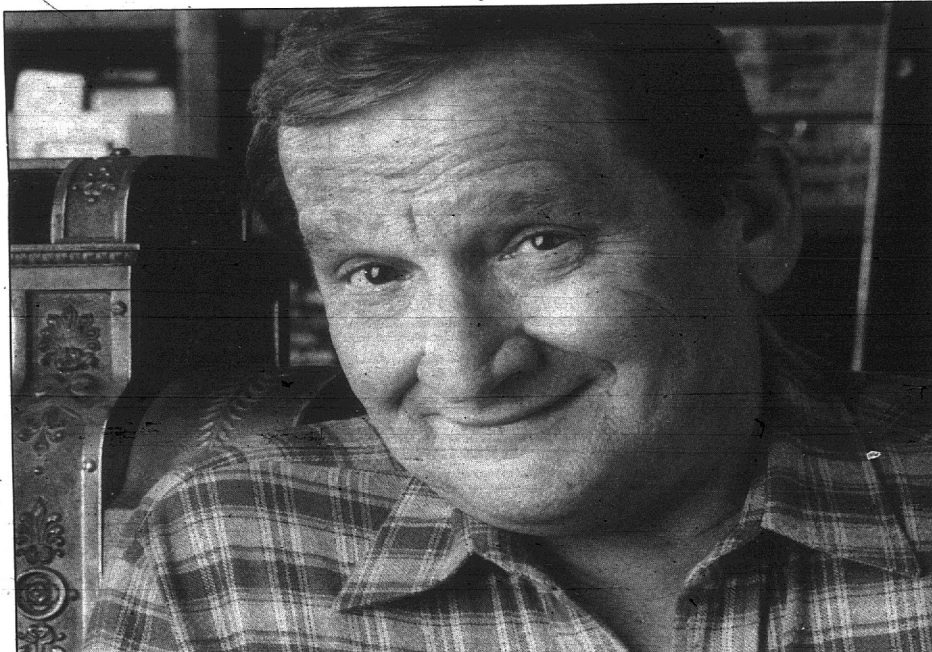
The rider raising the most money in Missouri will be eligible to win a six-day vacation courtesy of Marriott Hotels and American Airlines.

Trophies will be awarded to the companies and schools in Missouri and Illinois and the stu-

dents who bring in the most money in pledges. Special prizes will also be awarded to other organizations which participate in the ride.

Entry forms and pledge sheets are available at all McDonald's restaurants or by calling the American Diabetes Association office at (314) 968-3196.

Sponsors of the event include the Suburban Journals, McDonald's, Six Flags Over Mid America, Voss Beverages, Fashion Gal, and WKBF-TV (106.5). Ralston Purina's, SunFlakes Cereal is the national sponsor of the event.



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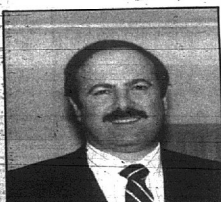
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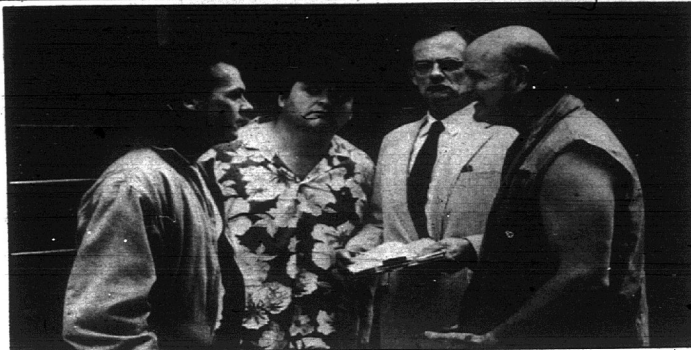


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STARRING IN "THE DREAM TEAM" are, from left, Michael Keaton, Stephen Furst, Christopher Lloyd and Peter Boyle.

Mental patients learn to cope using humor in 'Dream Team'

A talented quartet of actors play mentally ill patients who get stranded in New York City in "The Dream Team" (R), a very funny comedy that takes simple, uncomplicated humor and stretches it a long way.

The four men are Billy Caulfield (Michael Keaton), a successful writer with a terminal temper; Henry Sikorsky (Christopher Lloyd), a former postal employee with an identity crisis and a penchant for perfection; Albert Januzzi (Stephen Furst), a young chunky patient who speaks only in short phrases having to do with baseball or television; Peter Boyle (Jack McDermott), an ex-copy writer in a large Manhattan ad agency who thinks he is the Son of God. The trouble begins when a therapist on the staff of the hospital where the four men are patients is immediately available to take the guys to a New York Yankees game.

While driving through Manhattan, Albert signals that he has to go to the bathroom. Because no restroom is immediately available, the good doctor stops in a bad neighborhood where he suggests Albert take a short trip to the nearest alley to take care of nature's calling. But during the stop, something happens to the doctor and the boys are on their own.

The rest of "The Dream Team" is about crooked cops, the rescue of Dr. Weitzman, the reunion of Caulfield with his girlfriend (played by Lorraine Bracco) and what happens to a psychiatrist when he is given a large dose of his own medicine. Even though this motion pic-

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By Harry Hamm

ture headlines Keaton. "The Dream Team" is, by all measures, a wonderfully funny ensemble comedy that treats mental illness with respect and good-natured humor.

One word of caution: "The Dream Team" is the kind of comedy that you either get in step with at the start or you don't. But most people should like "The Dream Team," a venture out of the cuckoo's nest that had me laughing as hard as I have laughed at a comedy film in a

long time.

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Keaton's latest role sends him on 'dreamy' adventure

By Harry Hamm
Staff affiliate

In the making of the new Universal Studio film, "The Dream Team," the Hollywood crew found themselves up against some Broadway competition at a time they least expected it.

"It was June of last year and we had been filming for a few days in New York City near the Federal Court House in Foley Square, midtown Park Avenue and in the vicinity of Central Park West," recalled Michael Keaton, one of the film's stars.

"Then one Friday night, we had some shots to pick up right at Broadway and Times Square. The scenes mostly involved Chris (Lloyd) character, who was supposed to be helping a garbage collector making his rounds."

But at about 11 p.m., the audiences of three sold-out Broadway shows were let out. "All of a sudden, we had about 4,000 people we didn't count on just standing there and gawking at us," Keaton said. "So we stopped and when the crowd dwindled to about 400 people, we started up again, but by then, it was after midnight."

"It wouldn't have looked very believable to moviegoers if we continued with 4,000 people just standing around," I think.

"That film allowed me to receive the best reviews I have ever received," Keaton said.

our credibility would have gone right in the dumpster with the rest of the garbage from the trucks."

In "The Dream Team," Keaton, Christopher Lloyd, Peter Boyle and Stephen Furst portray four mental patients who are residents of a psychiatric hospital in New Jersey. They end up alone together in Times Square when a doctor from the hospital, played by Dennis Haysbert, who is driving them to Yankee Stadium to see a baseball game, disappears during a rest stop.

"We wanted to do a story that took four institutionalized men with four distinct problems, put them in the real world, and see the effect that reality would have on them," said screen writer Jon Connolly. "The incident of the doctor's disappearance forces them to come to grips with their problems, and hopefully transcend them."

"The Dream Team" is a production of a company called Imagine Entertainment, which is headed by Brian Glazer and Ron Howard.

Keaton is fine in "The Dream Team." There were many people who felt he should have been nominated for an Oscar as Best Actor for his performance as a compulsive substance abuser in the unforgettable film from 1988, "Clean and Sober."

Keaton saw some Oscar-like incongruities in his character of Billy Caulfield in "The Dream Team."

"Billy is a mass of contradictions," Keaton said. "Though he is perceived as unhealthy, in many ways he's much healthier emotionally than a lot of people. Billy is the type who wears his heart on his sleeve, but he does it in a society that doesn't necessarily allow him to do it all the time. Because of those limitations, he gets frustrated and fights back physically."

"What he has to learn is to express those frustrations in a healthier way, healthier for him emotionally and definitely healthier in the physical sense for those with whom he has an argument."

One funny scene takes place in Times Square when Keaton, Lloyd, Boyle and Furst dash across an intersection in the rain using an empty refrigerator box for shelter.

"No one gave us a second look or questioned why these guys were walking through Times Square in a cardboard box in the rain," Keaton said of the filming, in which the downpour was artificially produced. "They just walked by as if it were the most normal thing in the world."

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Crosby's comeback album proves good achievement

By Alan Sculley
Staff affiliate

It would be nice to call David Crosby's "Oh Yes I Can" a triumphant comeback album. Unfortunately it's not that good. But considering how far gone Crosby was during his addiction to cocaine and heroin, this solid if not spectacular solo album still stands as a fine achievement.

Musically, there is little on this album that will surprise fans who know the folk- and country-influenced rock material Crosby, Stills & Nash (and occasionally Young) and the Byrds.

Crosby, however, does show more inclination to rock out on "Oh Yes I Can" than Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young did on their recent "American Dream" LP.

That is good news because in this case the rockers are what Crosby does best.

"Monkey and the Underdog," the song that most directly confronts Crosby's battle and victory over drugs, jumps out with a catchy chorus. One of the album's strongest tracks, it's a good candidate for radio airplay.

"Mama Dowdy Mama" gives Crosby and his backing musicians a chance to stretch out with a spirited, bluesy jam. "Drive My Car," the album's opening cut, is another solid rocker.

Where the album stails a bit is on the ballads. The title song and "In The Wide Ruin" both are direct and pretty tunes. But the album's ballads — "Melody," "Tracks In The Dust," "Distances" and "Flying" — come and go without stirring much action.

Fortunately, "Oh Yes I Can" succeeds often enough to allow Crosby to make good on the promise implied in this album's title.

Chamber dancers to perform April 16

The dancers of Chamber Dance Theater, under the direction of Doris Dietz, will be in concert at 2 p.m. April 16 at Christ Church Cathedral, 1210 Locust, St. Louis. The public is invited.

The dancers of Chamber Dance Theater, based at the Performing Arts Studio in Collinsville, have been engaged in performances for eight years. Performances have been in conjunction with the Southern Illinois University orchestra for productions of "Peter and the Wolf," "Mother Goose Suite" and works by Grieg, Prokofiev, Delius, Bridge, Britten, Ravel and others.

They have performed in productions at Webster Auditorium, the Miners Theater, Florissant Civic Center, Christ Church Cathedral, STU Arts Festival and other theaters.

The dancers also will be in concert at 8 p.m. April 14 at Webster Auditorium, 108 West Church, Collinsville. Tickets will be \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children.

"We have great songs, not just good grooves." That quote, from Eugene "Geno" Gresham of Sharp, comes from the band's record biography on the album "Sharp," Elektra Records. It succinctly describes what makes the group's self-titled debut LP stand out from today's other rhythm and blues records.

Like many groups, Sharp is fully capable of kicking out a good dance number — as the songs "Playboy" and "Double Your Pleasure" and "Available" from the album "Sharp" prove. But unlike many of today's dance songs, these tunes are fully developed tracks that add up to much more than a collection of synthesizer licks.

Sharp also is impressive in that all six members can play several instruments and the album's songs were all either written or co-written by the band. Sharp also has considerable experience, having been together for several years; they toured Japan and Singapore in 1986.

The experience shows on "Sharp" and it looks like the band's years of hard work soon will start paying big dividends.

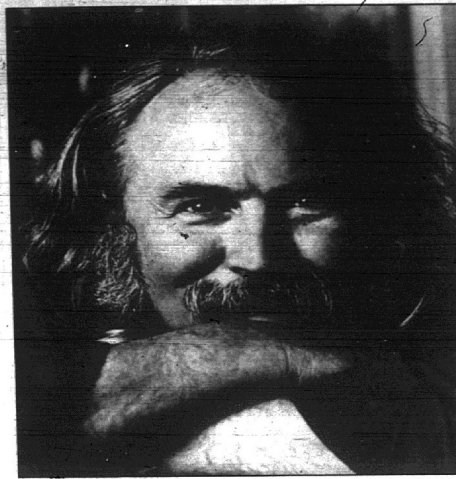
Nineteen years ago, Lucky Peterson made his debut with the single "1, 2, 3, 4" and an album of the same name. This earned him appearances on "The Ed Sullivan Show," "The Tonight Show" and other national television programs.

His latest album is "Lucky Strikes," Alligator Records. Today Peterson is all of 24 years old, and though "1, 2, 3, 4" may have seemed like a novelty record from a talented 5-year-old, there is no doubting Peterson's credentials these days.

Beginning at age 17, he spent three years touring with Little Milton, then another three years backing Bobby "Blue" Bland. Following his stints with those blues stars, Peterson became a studio regular for King Snake Records, playing on recent albums by Rufus Thomas, Lazy Lester, Kenney Neal and others.

With "Lucky Strikes," his first LP for Alligator Records, Peterson seems fully capable of stepping out as a solo artist.

The album showcases Peterson's soulful full-bodied vocals and his fine skills as a guitarist and keyboard player. Though not yet a distinctive songwriter, Peterson nevertheless delivers a group of enjoyable blues tunes for "Lucky Strikes."



DAVID CROSBY makes record comeback with "Oh Yes I Can." While it is a worthy achievement, Crosby's return is not a triumphant one.

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Why would gang member say all that on TV news?

By Ian MacBryde
Staff affiliate

There are some astonishing things on television these days.

KTVI-TV (Channel 2) reporter Elliott Davis apparently pulled one of the most astonishing stunts during the 10 p.m. broadcast March 27. He interviewed a young man who purported to be a member of the notorious "Crips," the Los Angeles street gang said to be moving into the St. Louis area and bringing along a torrent of illegal drugs.

"Yellow Blood," as he apparently wanted to be called, made what sounded like a declaration of war. "We'll do just like we did in L.A.," he said. "They (the police) can't stop us. If they kill us, we'll kill them. ... we're here to make money, and to make new Crips."

To tell you the truth, I was a little skeptical, and asked myself why a real gang member would go on television and say that. The next day "Yellow Blood" was arrested on charges of drug possession. Police say he is Dondra Wheeler, 21, born in St. Louis, but now of Los Angeles, and, according to police intelli-

gence, a member of the Crips. He was charged with cocaine possession and reportedly investigated in connection with a drive-by shooting in St. Louis. As of this writing he is out on bail. And I'm still asking myself what possessed Wheeler to say those things on television.

Channel 4 claims progress. Some folks who watch the ratings for KMOV-TV (Channel 3) don't agree with one of the conclusions in this column. They maintain that Channel 4 is making significant progress against KSDK-TV (Channel 5) with its news programming.

For those of you who just tuned in, I suggested that Channel 5 was continuing its almost indecent dominance of the market, and that its lead remained constant in the February ratings, compared to last year.

It depends which ratings book you believe. Nielsen shows the position of the two stations in news as almost static. Arbitron says Channel 4 made some gains in the major news casts, and Channel 5 lost equivalent news. Either way, Channel 5 retains a huge lead.

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5:00 :30	CBS News Business	NBC News NBC News		"Cop-Out" Agrt. Report	Success 'n Life	Cities of Gold Little Prince	Paid Program Paid Program	Aerobics Nation's Busi- ness Today	Movie: "Vice Versa" Cont'd	News Tom & Jerry's	The Reluctant Astronaut	K. Copeland's Faith Twenty		Today/Marilyn J. Robinson		
6:00 :30	ABC News	This Morning	Today in St. Louis	In Our Image A.M. Weather	K. Copeland Fun House	News Comic Strip	Mr. Wizard Dennis	Last of Wild Check It Out!	Encyclopedia Little Women	Funhouse	Short Film Movie: "I Ac- cuse!"	A. Bunker Jern		Superbook Dry Gulch		
7:00 :30	Good Morning America	"	Today	Yoga & You Mister Rogers	Double Dare Dennis	Tom/Jerry Flintstones	Lassie Belle	She-Ra Cartoons	Movie: "The Wrong Guys"	B. Hillbillies Bewitched		Bozo		Father Knows Hazel		
8:00 :30	"	Family Feud Potatoes	"	Sesame Street	C.O.P.S. Woody	Jem J. Swaggart	Pinwheel	Women's Vol- leyball	Movie:	Little House on the Prairie	Movie: "The Bible"	Smurfs Gummy	Movie: "Bells of Coronado"	Our House		
9:00 :30	Manix	Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	Donahue	Kangaroo Reading	Little House on the Prairie	700 Club	"	Riptide	"Choke Can- yon"	Movie: "Born to Be Sold"	Bible	Dukes of Haz- ard	Top Card	700 Club		
10:00 :30	Home	Price Is Right	Sally Jessy Raphael	Mister Rogers ZooBelle Zoo	M.T. Moore Bob Newhart	Heritage To- day	Elephant Little Koala	Alfred Hitch- cock	Getting Fit Basic Training	Movie: "Man- nequin"	"	Charlie's An- gels	VideoCountry	Scott Ross		
11:00 :30	Gro. Pains Living	Young and the Restless	Lose or Draw Wheel-Fortune	Sesame	Love Boat	Rockford Files	Pinwheel	Hot Potato Play the Per-	Aerobics Bodyshaping	Movie: "P.K."	Perry Mason	Movie: "The Battle Zone"	Geraldo	American Ma- gazine	Talk Cable Kitchen	
12:00 :30	All My Child- ren	News Good/Beautiful	News Generations	Street Motorweek	B. Hillbillies Movie: "Confi- dential Agent"	Incredible Hulk	Dr. Snuggles Little Prince	Chain Rea. Bumper Stum.	Curling: World Champ.	"	"	Movie: "The Roustlers"	Andy Griffith Van Dyke	VideoCountry	Here Come the Brides	
1:00 :30	One Life to Live	As the World Turns	Another World	Growing Sesame	"	"	Duckula Heathcliff	Press Luck Tack Dough	Parker 400 Arm Wrestling	"	Tom & Jerry Flintstones	Beaver Yogi Bear	Top Card Crook	Campbells Green Acres		
2:00 :30	General Hospi- tal	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	Growing Sesame	"	"	Adams F. Yogi Bear	PGA Golf: Greater	Legends Of Wrestling	The Bat Survival	Flintstones Brady Bunch	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"	Bugs Bunny G.I. Joe	Nashville Now	Hazel Father Knows	
3:00 :30	AfterSchool Sp.	Oprah Winfrey	Days of Our Lives	Street Mister Rogers	Smurfs Ghostbusters	Tom/Jerry Chipmunks	Lassie Dennis	Greensboro Open	Trucks Motorweek	Movie: "Leon- ard Part 6"	Gilligan Beaver	C.O.P.S. Fun House	American Ma-	Big Valley		
4:00 :30	Current Affair Ent. Tonight	Divorce Court Cops Show	Inside Edition Jeopardy!	Reading 3-2-1 Contact	DuckTales Jettsons	Punky B. Happening!!	Can't on TV Don't Sit	Double Dealer	She-Ra Cartoons	Alice Day at a Time	Movie: "Ap- pointment"	Facts of Life WKRP	gazine New Country	Bonanza: The Lost Episodes		
5:00 :30	News ABC News	News CBS News	News NBC News	Sesame Street	Silver Spoons Facts of Life	Gimme Break Webster	Finder Keeper Double Dealer	Gadget Tony Tunes	Movie: "The SpeedWeek"	Encyclopedia Movie: "The"	Andy Griffith Major League	With Death"	Cheers Major League	Top Card Crook		
6:00 :30	Geraldo	News Lose or Draw	News Wheel-Fortune	MacNeill/ Lehrer	Family Ties Cheers	3's Company New Beaver	Gadget Tony Tunes	Movie: "Bronco Billy"	Star Search International	Mister Ed Patty Duke	Murder, She Wrote	Auto Racing Swamp Buggy	Wrong Guys"	Baseball: Houston As- troles at Atlanta Braves	Baseball: Chi- cago Cubs at New York Mets	Nashville Now Movie: "My Side of the Mountain"
7:00 :30	Return of Shaggy Dog	48 Hours	Cosby Show Dit. World	World/Animals Donnybrook	Movie: "Bronco Billy"	"	"	My 3 Sons Donna Reed	PGA Golf: Greater	Thurs. Night Thunder	Movie: "Man- nequin"	"	"	"		
8:00 :30	Dynasty	Equalizer	Cheers Nick & Hillary	Mystery: Game/Set	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
9:00 :30	Burning Ques- tions	Knots Landing	L.A. Law	Computer Dreams	Newswatch	Perry Mason	Sat. Night SCTV	Greensboro Open	Auto Racing: USAC Midget	Attractions	Billy Graham	Movie: "Off Limits"	News	New Country		
10:00 :30	News M.A.S.H.	News Carol Burnett	News Tonight Show	Business Rpt. EastEnders	Night Court Cheers	Andy Griffith Beaver	Laugh-In Car 34	Miami Vice	Cars Sports	Do the Guilty Go Free	Crusade Movie: "The"	INN News Hill Street	Be a Star Crook	Remington Steele		
11:00 :30	Nightline Straight to the	Pat Sajak	Love Connec- tion	Ethics in America	H'mooner Movie:	I Love Lucy Van Dyke	Room-Daddy Mister Ed	New Mike Hammer	Supercross Tractor Pull	Comic Relief II Highlights	Dream Mak- ers	Movie: "Smash Pa- lace"	Blues Movie: "David and Bath-sheba"	Nashville Now Movie: "My Side of the Mountain"		
12:00 :30	Morton Dow- ney Jr.	Arsenio Hall	David Letter- man	Mystery: Game/Set	"Catch-22"	Benson F-Troop	Patty Duke Sat. Night	Search Tm. Sadame's Pl.	Tractor Pull Motorweek	Movie: "Body Double"	Movie: "The Phantom of the Opera"	Movie: "Amer- ican Justice"	"	"		
1:00 :30	Fam. Med. News	Family Feud	Bob Costas News	Sign-Off	"	Movie: "Gas- s-s-s"	SCTV Laugh-In	Car 54 Ann Sothern	Movie: "Olym- pia"	Champ. Skating	Movie: "The Return of the Living Dead"	Green Acres Gomer Pyle	INN News H.'s Heroes	Movie: "Love Child"	Cosman's Secrets	
2:00 :30	Face to Face Sign-Off	World Vision: Survival	On Trial Sign-Off	Grow Rich Movie: "The Women's Room"	Movie: "The Incredible Journey of Doctor Meg Laurel"	"	"	Paid Program	"	"	"	"	Sign-Off	Weight Loss Paid Program		
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5:00	CBS News Business	NBC News NBC News	Intro. Biology A.M. Weather	Public Affairs Agri. Report	Success 'n Life	Cities of Gold Little Prince	Paid Program Healthy Diet	Aerobics Nation's Busi- ness Today	Movie: "Pretty Smart" Cont'd	News Tom & Jerry's	Movie: "Angel Shoulder"	K. Copeland Faith Twenty		Today/Marilyn J. Robinson
6:00	ABC News This Morning	Today in St. Louis	Yoga & You Mister Rogers	K. Copeland Fun House	News Comic Strip	Mr. Wizard Dennis	Last of Wild Check It Out	Encyclopedia Babar	Movie: "Limbo"	B. Hillbillies Bewitched	Movie: "Heaven Can"	B. Bunk Jem		Superbook Dry Gulch
7:00	Good Morning America	Today	Sesame Street	Double Dare Dennis	Tom/Jerry Flintstones	Lassie Belle	She-Ra Cartoons	SportsCenter	Movie: "Limbo"	Little House on the Prairie	Movie: "Three Hundred Miles for Stephanie"	Smurfs Gumby	Movie: "Mountain Rhythm"	Our House
8:00	Family Feud Potatoes	Donahue	Sally Jessy Raphael	C.O.P.S. Woody	Jem J. Swaggart	Pinwheel	Women's Ten- nis: B and L Championship	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "Three Hundred Miles for Stephanie"	Movie: "Pied Piper of Ham- lard"	Dukes of Haz- ard	700 Club	Scott Ross
9:00	Manix Live - Regis & Kathie Lee	Donahue	Mister Rogers Zoo	M.T. Moore Bob Newhart	Heritage To- day	Elephant Maple Town	Alfred Hitch- cock Hour	Getting Fit Basic Training	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "Three Hundred Miles for Stephanie"	Movie: "Pied Piper of Ham- lard"	Charlie's An- gels	VideoCountry	Talk Am. Baby
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12:00	All My Child- ren	News Bold/Beautiful	News Generations	Street Bodywatch	Movie: "China Clipper"	Hollywood Sq. Newlywed	Spl. Today Cities of Gold	Name Tune Music	HS Basket- ball: Ind.	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"	Movie: "Young Sher- lock Holmes"	Andy Griffith Van Dyke	VideoCountry	Here Come the Brides
1:00	One Life to Live	As the World Turns	Another World	Gourmet Sesame	Clipper	Addams F. Yogi Bear	Duckula Heathcliff	Press Luck Tac Dough	Champ. Game Fishing	Trucks K.I.D.S.	Tom & Jerry Flintstones	Bugs Bunny G.I. Joe	Top Card Crook	Campbell's Green Acres
2:00	General Hos- pital	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	Health Sesame	Gumby	Tom/Jerry Chipmunks	Lassie Dennis	Can't on TV Don't Sit	Dance Party USA	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "The Karate Kid"
3:00	Poo. Court USA Today	Oprah Winfrey	Days of Our Lives	Street Mister Rogers	Reading 3-2-1 Contact	DuckTales Jacks	Punky B. Happening	Finder Keeper Double Dare	She-Ra Cartoons	Sports Trivia SportsLook	Chuck Encyclopedia	Andy Griffith Sanford	Baseball: Chi- cago Cubs at Montreal Ex- pos	VideoCountry
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6:00	Geraldo Live or Draw	News WFL	Wheel-Fortune	MacNeil/ Lehrer	Family Ties Cheers	3's Company New Beaver	Gadget Looney Tunes	Murder, She Wrote	Horse Jump- ing	Movie: "The Karate Kid"	Movie: "Dr. Zhivago"	Movie: "Barly"	Baseball: Chi- cago Cubs at Montreal Ex- pos	VideoCountry
7:00	MacGyver Heartland	ALF Departed	World/Animals St. Louis Sky	Kids in Crisis	Movie: "Grace Kelly"	Mister Ed Patty Duke	My 3 Sons Donna Reed	WWF Prime Time Wres- tling	Great Ameri- can Events	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"	Movie: "Biloxi Blues"
8:00	Movie: "B.L. Stryker: Aun- ty Sue"	Murphy Design. W.	Around the World in 80 Days	Learning in America	Newsweek	Andy Griffith Beaver	Room-Daddy Mister Ed	New Mike Hammer	Skateboarding	1 Night Stand Movie: "Witch- board"	National Geo- graphic Ex- plorer	Movie: "Keep- ing Track"	Blues Movie: "The Vengeance of She"	American Ma- gazine
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5:00 :30		CBS News Business	NBC News NBC News		Missiles Agri. Report	Success 'n Life	Cities of Gold Little Prince	Paid Program Healthy Diet	Aerobics Nation's Busi- ness Today	1 Night Stand Cirque du So-	News Tom & Jerry's	Movie: "The Garbage Pail Kids Movie"	K. Copeland Faith Twenty		Today/Marilyn J. Robinson
6:00 :30	ABC News This Morning		Today in St. Louis	Intro. Biology A.M. Weather	K. Copeland Fun House	News Comic Strip	Mr. Wizard Dennis	Last of Wild Check It Out!		Little Women	Funhouse	Kids Movie"	A. Bunker Jem		Superbook Dry Gulch
7:00 :30	Good Morning America		Today	Yoga & You Mister Rogers	Double Dare Dennis	Tom/Jerry Flintstones	Lassie Belle	She-Ra Cartoons	SportsCenter	Movie: "The Night Before"	B. Hillbillies Bewitched	Movie: "Bo- tany Bay"	Bozo		Father Knows Hazel
8:00 :30		Family Feud Potatoes		Sesame Street	C.O.P.S. Woody	Jem J. Swaggart	Pinwheel	Srs. Golf: Tra- dition Final		Movie: "Solar- babies"	Little House on the Prairie		Smurfs Gumby	Movie: "Rain- bow Over"	Our House
9:00 :30	Manix Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee		Donahue	Kangaroo Reading	Little House on the Prairie	700 Club		Riptide	Round	Movie: "Arch of Triumph"	Movie: "Stran- ger on the Run"	Movie: "Stran- ger on the Run"	Dukes of Haz- ard	Texas Top Card	700 Club
10:00 :30	Home Price Is Right	Sally Jessy Raphael	Mister Rogers Zoo	M.T. Moore Bob Newhart	Heritage To- day	Elephant Maple Town	Alfred Hitch- cock Hour	Getting Fit Basic Training	Movie: "Ice Castles"		Movie: "Man- nequin"		Charlie's An- gels	VideoCountry	Scott Ross
11:00 :30	Gro. Pains Loving	Young and the Restless	Loss or Draw Wheel-Fortune	Spl. Today Sesame	Love Boat	Rockford Files	Pinwheel	Hot Potato Play the Per-	Aerobics Bodyshaping	Movie: "Bee- tejuelos"	Movie: "The Hanged Man"		News	New Country Be a Star	Chefs Cooking
12:00 :30	All My Child- ren	News Bold/Beautiful	News Generations	Street City Painting	B. Hillbillies Movie	Incredible Hulk	Dr. Snuggles Little Prince	Chain Rea. Bumper Stum.	Auto Racing: NASCAR First	Movie: "Bee- tejuelos"	Movie: "Eyes of the Nee- dles"	Short Film	Andy Griffith Van Dyke	VideoCountry	Here Come the Brides
1:00 :30	One Life to Live	As the World Turns	Another World Turns	Food Behavior	"Dames"	Hollywood Sq. Newlywed	Spl. Today Cities of Gold	Name Tune Music	Union 400	Movie: "Fan- dango"	Munsters	Movie: "Fan- dango"	Beaver Yogi Bear	Top Card Crook	Campbell's Green Acres
2:00 :30	General Hos- pital	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	Behavior Sesame	Gumby	Addams F. Yogi Bear	Duckula Heathcliff	Press Luck Tac Dough	K.I.D.S.	Tom & Jerry Flintstones	Movie: "Bugs Bunny G.I. Joe	Movie: "Fangs Bunny G.I. Joe	Nashville Now	Hazel Father Knows	Big Valley
3:00 :30	Poo. Court USA Today	Oprah Winfrey	Days of Our Lives	Street Mister Rogers	Smurfs Ghosts	Tom/Jerry Chipmunks	Lassie Dennis	Can't on TV Don't Sit	Dance Party USA	Tractor Pull PGA Tour	Cirque du So-	Movie: "The Gilligan Beaver	Movie: "The Gilligan Beaver	American Ma- gazine	Bonanza: The Lost Episodes
4:00 :30	Current Affair Cosby Show	Divorce Court	Inside Edition Jeopardy!	Reading 3-2-1 Contact	DuckTales Jacks	Punky B. Happening!	Finder Keeper Double Dare	She-Ra Cartoons	Sports Trivia SportsLook	Chuck Encyclopedia	Andy Griffith Sanford	Baseball: Chi- cago Cubs at Montreal Ex- pos	VideoCountry	Here Come the Brides	
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7:00 :30	Who's Boss? Wonder Years	Rescue: 911	Matlock	World/Animals Postscripts	Nova	Movie: "Night Shift"	Movie: "The Day the Earth Stopped Turning"	Blood Feud	Top Rank Boxing: Doug DeWitt vs. Robbie Simms	Movie: "Bee- tejuelos"	Billy Graham	Movie: "Man- nequin"	Baseball: Chi- cago Cubs at Montreal Ex- pos	VideoCountry	Here Come the Brides
8:00 :30	Roseanne Have Faith	Movie: "The Red Spider"	Around the World in 80 Days	Frontline	All in Family Newswatch	Night Court Cheers	Andy Griffith Beaver	Laugh-In Car 54	Miami Vice	Lighter Side SportsCenter	Movie: "Near Dark"	Movie: "Man- nequin"	Baseball: Chi- cago Cubs at Montreal Ex- pos	VideoCountry	Here Come the Brides
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5:00 Movie Cont'd														
6:00 Kidsongs	Ninja Turtles		Business File	Farm Report All Outdoors	News East Side	Little Koala Maple Town	Paid Program Beat Baldness	SportsCenter Outdoor Life	Remember	Fishing Lines	NWA Main Event	Movie: "Project X" Cont'd	"Hawpills" Making It Happen	Fishing Show Where a Will
7:00 Flintstones	Raggy Ann	Kissyfur Gummi Bears	Business File	Public Affairs World Tom	Stop Smoking Business	Dennis Heathcliff	Financial Freedom	Fishing Sportsman	When Movie: "Bee-tejuice"	National Geographic Explorer	Movie: "Man-nequin"	Farm Report People-people	Gardener Kitchen	Paid Program Cable Kitchen
8:00 Pooh	Muppet Babies	Smurfs	Oceanus	Mellinger Eat-Be Thin	Webster Friend	Mr. Wizard Out of Control	Paid Program	Jim Houston Fishin' Hole	Movie: "I Want to Live"	Movie: "The Valley of Gwangi"	Movie: "Cross Creek"	Business Rpt. Stop Smoking	Remodeling Kitchen	Rin-Tin-Tin Sky King
9:00 Ghostbusters	Pee-wee Play	Chipmunks	Oceanus Economics	Home Search	Health T and T	Finder Keeper Can't on TV	Don't Sit Kid's Court	Sports Gameday	Movie: "American Dreamer"	Movie: "Ensign Pulver"	Movie: "Johnny Be Good"	Superman Triple Threat	Wish Here Side by Side	Roy Rogers Lone Ranger
10:00 Bugs Bunny & Daffy Duck	It's Ernest	Teen Wolf	Economics French Action	WWF Wrestling	Soul Train	Double Dare Gadget	American Bandstand	Horse Show	Movie: "The End"	Movie: "The Valley of Gwangi"	Movie: "Ensign Pulver"	Soul Train	Outdoors Country Music	Rifeman Cimarron
11:00 Crack-Ups	Mighty Mouse Storybreak	Punky B. Ed Grimley	Congress	Movie: "Dr. Phibes Rises Again"	Star Trek	Lassie Heathcliff	Movie: "The Gnomes' Great Adventure"	Fitness Mount Climb	Movie: "The Final Terror"	Movie: "Tidy Endings"	Movie: "Wolf Too"	Movie: "No Time for Sergeants"	CountryClips	Strip
12:00 Skiing	Garfield Where a Will	Major League Baseball: Red Sox	Frug. Gourmet Garden	Movie: "Gold-dendro"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Gnomes' Great Adventure"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
1:00 Good Fishing	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"	Movie: "Confessions of the D.A. Men"
2:00 PBA Bowling: Greater Hartford	PGA Golf: MCI Heritage	Major League Baseball: Red Sox	Hometime Yankee Shop	Small Wonder Out of World	A-Team	Bustin' Loose Trouble	Championship	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
3:00 Lord Open	Classic	Health TBA	Long Ago, Far Station	Secret Identity Facts of Life	Diff. Strokes W. Happening	Mr. Wizard Dennis	Kid's Court Duckula	Diamonds	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
4:00 Sports	Barney Miller	News	DeGrassi High T. Old House	Superboy	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Gadget Looney Tunes	Miami Vice	SportsCenter	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
5:00 News	News	News	Wild America	Reports	Patty Duke	Movie: "Zombi-mare"	HS Basket-ball: Ind. Champ. Game	1 Night Stand	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
6:00 D. Horowitz	Movie: "Tarzan in Manhattan"	Golden Girls One of Boys	Movie: "Midnight Lacer"	Nat'l. Geo. on Assignment	Cops Tomorrow	My 3 Sons Donna Reed	Hitchhiker Hitchcock	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
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8:00 Man Called Hawk	Movie: "Tarzan in Manhattan"	Golden Girls One of Boys	Movie: "Midnight Lacer"	Nat'l. Geo. on Assignment	Cops Tomorrow	My 3 Sons Donna Reed	Hitchhiker Hitchcock	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
9:00 Men	Movie: "Tarzan in Manhattan"	Golden Girls One of Boys	Movie: "Midnight Lacer"	Nat'l. Geo. on Assignment	Cops Tomorrow	My 3 Sons Donna Reed	Hitchhiker Hitchcock	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
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12:00 Movie: "Place-where Cows"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
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SUNDAY, APRIL 16, 1989

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5:00 Quincy														
6:00 News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
7:00 Ideas	Real to Real	Guinness Rec.	Computers	Frederick K. Price	Research Discovery	Bugs Bunny Last Dinosaur	Star Trek	SportsCenter	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
8:00 Sunday Mass	Kenneth Copeland	Sunday Today	Sesame Street	Bugs Bunny Last Dinosaur	Star Trek	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
9:00 Oral Roberts	Sunday Morning	Wall St. Jml.	Sesame Street	Bugs Bunny Last Dinosaur	Star Trek	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
10:00 Schuller	Face Nation	Meet Press Metro Journal	Sesame Street	Bugs Bunny Last Dinosaur	Star Trek	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
11:00 Face to Face	World Vision	D.C. Folies Sweethearts	Long Ago, Far Station	Secret Identity Facts of Life	Diff. Strokes W. Happening	Mr. Wizard Dennis	Kid's Court Duckula	Diamonds	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
12:00 Perception	NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Cleveland Cavaliers	Am. Top 10 Golden Greats	Wash. Week Wall St. Week	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"
1:00 Movie: "Polsen Ivy"	Bulls at Cleveland Cavaliers	American Image	One on One Tony Brown	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"
2:00 Auto Racing: Grand Prix	PGA Golf: MCI Heritage Classic	Baseball: Emmy Awards	F. Line: Nam European	"Paradise, Hawaiian"	Buckaroo Banzai	Luke Was There	Can't on TV Out of Control	Throb My Sis. Sam	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"	Movie: "The Chill Factor"
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7:00 Moonlighting	Murder, She Wrote	Family Ties Day by Day	WonderWorks	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"	Movie: "Duel"
8:00 Movie: "A Deadly Silence"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"	Movie: "Love and Betrayal"
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1:00 USA This Week	Nightwatch	Metro Journal	Sign-Off	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"	Movie: "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn"
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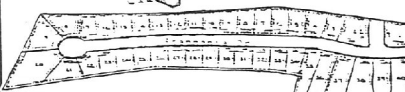
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Garden pest control starts with an ounce of prevention

A few key steps can make a big difference in the health and productivity of your vegetable garden.

Here are some tips to help reduce your workload and keep your garden free of weeds and pests so that you can enjoy a beautiful, bountiful harvest.

Dig in: Soil preparation is half the battle. Cultivate to a depth of 8 to 10 inches with a tiller or by hand. Not only will you loosen and aerate the soil, you also will bury a lot of weed seeds and insect eggs deep enough to kill them.

Choose seeds and plants carefully: Check seed packets or seedling labels for disease resistance. A tomato labelled "VF" means it is resistant to Verticillium wilt, Fusarium and nematodes. Ask the garden center what kinds are best. Pick varieties suited to your climate and early maturing types if you have a short growing season.

Plant in blocks: Plant your seed or started seedlings in tight blocks a foot or so square, with boards or straw-mulched paths in between. This checkerboard method leaves little bare ground for weeds to invade and gives

easy access to plants.

Mix things up a little: Mix blocks of vegetables with herbs, flowers and other ornamental plants for a more interesting garden, and to discourage attack by large numbers of the same kind of pest.

Beat the bugs, safely: You needn't panic and start spraying chemicals around if you see a bug. Plants can tolerate a few

pests without serious damage. If you must take action, keep it simple:

•To control slugs, sink a shallow dish to its rim in the garden and fill it with beer. Crowds of these voracious pests will be attracted, fall in and drown overnight.

•To foil cutworms, put paper-collars around your tomato plants, and sink them an inch or

two into the soil.

•Hand-pick and squash tomato hornworms, or use Bt, (*Bacillus thuringiensis*), a natural control for caterpillars and worms.

•Use safe, insecticidal soaps for aphids, mealybugs, spider mites, scale and whiteflies.

If insects get out of hand and you need to use an insecticide, look for non-toxics like the insecticidal soaps or natural pyre-

thrin-based insecticides made by Safer. These products control pests without posing a threat to people, pets or the environment.

Attracting birds to your property will help reduce insect populations. You can also buy and release beneficial insects such as ladybugs and praying mantis which feed on aphids and other pests.

Water at the ground level:

Don't hose down vegetable plants. Keeping leaves and fruit dry will greatly reduce plant diseases. Investing in a simple drip irrigation kit or soaker hose will save work and water, while helping keep plants healthy.

Good gardening habits and a sensible approach to pest and weed-control make for an attractive garden and a healthy harvest.

Today's tile shows style

The growing desire for more lavish kitchens and bathrooms, coupled with today's interest in home design, has spurred the popularity of ceramic tile. American manufacturers are meeting this demand with an array of new shapes, styles, colors and sizes.

"Because of its design flexibility, ceramic tile has made a remarkable comeback in the last few years," said Libba Meyers, advertising and promotions coordinator at Mid-State Tile.

"New home buyers and remodelers alike find that tile's durability and easy maintenance are compatible with current tile styles. Additionally, increased home resale value provides an added benefit," Meyers said.

With so many products available, manufacturers and dealers stress the importance of choosing a tile that meets your needs. Depending on where the tile is to be used, qualities like resistance to frost, stains, slips and abrasions are factors to consider when making your selection.

Ceramic tile is divided into three general categories: wall tile, floor tile and mosaic tiles. Floor tile and mosaics can be used on most surfaces. However, the same does not hold for wall tile, which often is not made to withstand heavy floor traffic. Before purchasing, check the manufacturer's recommendations for appropriate tile usage.

Also, when shopping for tile at manufacturers' showrooms, home centers, tile dealers or floor-covering retailers, be certain to buy enough tile to complete the entire job. This ensures that the tile is from the same production run and consequently, that color and texture will be uniform.

The trend today is toward very small or very large tiles. Architects often use 2-by-2-inch tiles — laid in a perfect grid — on walls and floors. At the other end of the spectrum, 12-by-12-inch ceramic tiles are showing up throughout the home.

As for shades, roses and pale peaches are taking the place of almonds and blues as the new neutrals. Walls are featuring a frequent blending of shades drifting from color to color. Popular in the 1920s and '30s, the practice of capping off a wall of solid color tile with a band of color at the top is making a comeback.

Also back are the art deco trends of black-and-white checkboard bands and patterns of white octagon tiles surrounded by small black squares forming dots around the larger white ones.

Installation costs, which are not included in the tile price, vary depending on the difficulty of the job. The Council of American ceramic tile manufacturers, recommends hiring a professional for most jobs.

However, if you are determined to do it yourself, tile stores and home centers often will provide installation instructions or videos, or both, along with the tile. Installation materials and tools necessary to do the job, the association says.

The Council of America offers two new four-color brochures on ceramic tile, one on installation and the other decorating with tile. Each costs \$1. Those interested should send a self-addressed, business-size envelope and check to Tile Council of America, Dept. 111 (for installing) and D (for decorating), P.O. Box 2222, Princeton, N.J. 08542-2222.

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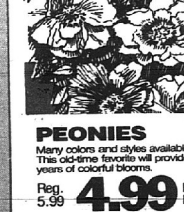
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DePew forming Mon-Clair roster

By Dave Whaley
Executive sports editor

GRANITE CITY — Darin DePew is pretty pleased with what he has. But he could always use more.

Just a month away from the start of the Mon-Clair League season, DePew, the player-manager of the Granite City Merchants, is still looking for some more help, particularly in the pitching department.

"We're going to be hurting for pitching until the colleges get done," said DePew. "It's pretty hard to find good pitchers who aren't throwing somewhere in college."

DePew knows he will have left-hander Paul Barrington, a 1982 graduate of Granite City North High School, when the season starts May 14 with a home double-header against the defending league champions, the Sauget Wizards. The heart of the pitching staff will likely still be pitching college ball at that time.

Leading the arms race will be right-handers Darin Hendrickson, Scott LeVault and Mark Bowen. Hendrickson is a sophomore at 1987 graduates of Granite City High School and combined for 17 wins their senior year. When the Warriors won 29 games. Bowen is a 1986 GCHS grad and is doing well at Belleville Area College. Hendrickson is a sophomore at Lewis and Clark Community College and LeVault is a sophomore at Aurora University.

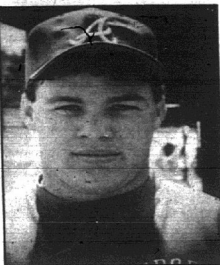
At least three other players from the Warriors' mighty 1987 squad have signed to play for the Merchants. John Moud, now

DARIN HENDRICKSON (left) and Scott LeVault will head up the pitching staff for Granite City's new entry in the Mon-Clair League.

a freshman at Lewis and Clark, will be a first baseman and third baseman. Tim and Jamie Hogan, sophomores at SIUE, are also signed to play. Although neither is playing college baseball, Tim is expected to play center field while Jamie will man second base.

DePew will be the catcher after an outstanding career at SIUE and one season of minor league ball. He is now a coach for the Cougars and is teaching at Collinsville High School.

Others signed to play include: Tom Greco, A 1979 graduate of Granite City North, Greco is a



first baseman. Tim Wargo, A 1985 graduate of Gillespie High School, Wargo is a middle infielder. He plays at SIUE after transferring from Lewis and Clark. He batted .351 for the Cougars last year.

Shane Cole, Cole is a 1984 graduate of GCHS and will play in the outfield.

Rick Buer, Buer is a 1981 graduate of North and will play left field. Bob Sirtak, Sirtak is a 1986 graduate of Edwardsville High School and plays first and third base. He had a career batting average of .443 in high school and batted .459 his sophomore

Mon-Clair Schedule

(double-headers)

5/14 SAUGET
5/21 Highland
5/28 Belleville
6/4 EAST ALTON
6/11 Belleville
6/18 Edwardsville
6/25 EAST ST. LOUIS
7/2 EDWARDSVILLE
7/16 Valleyview
7/23 All-Star Game at Sauget
7/30 WATERLOO
8/6 MILLSTADT
8/13 O'Fallon
8/20 HIGHLAND
8/27 East Alton

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5/17 Highland
5/24 Troy
5/31 Sauget
6/7 East Alton
6/14 EDWARDSVILLE
6/21 HIGHLAND
6/27 MILLSTADT
7/4 TROY
7/11 SAUGET
7/18 MILLSTADT
7/25 THENTON
8/1 Edwardsville

Home games in ALL CAPS. Home games will likely be played at Macvill Field until the high school season ends. Home games will then be played at Varsity Field.

year at Lewis and Clark before transferring to SIUE this year.

Kevin DePew, Daren's brother is a 1981 graduate of North and will be a designated hitter.

P.J. Riley, A 1986 graduate of Edwardsville High School, Riley is a junior at SIUE. He batted .311 with 11 homers and 44 RBIs last year. He hit .454 as a senior at Edwardsville and started his college career at Kansas.

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Ghirardi disputes claims made about unpaid bills at track

GRANITE CITY — Vince Ghirardi, the former promoter of Tri-City Speedway, says he doesn't feel he left the speedway with a bad name.

Reacting to comments in a Press-Record story on April 6, Ghirardi admits there are some unpaid bills from his three years with the track, but that all open questions are being actively pursued.

"I just don't understand why statements would be made by people who have no direct knowledge of both sides of the issue," Ghirardi said. "It just bothers me that it was stated as a fact."

Ghirardi has run Master Pest Control in Granite City for the past eight years and said the comments have caused him some problems.

"I have had people asking me questions about it," Ghirardi said. "People see something like that in print and accept it as fact. But there are no unpaid bills which I haven't looked into. There are four open accounts now, but there is nothing serious about them."

Ghirardi said there might be a total of \$1,000 to \$1,200 in question from those accounts with vendors. But he said former owners Elvis and Florence Dool-

in have received every cent of their lease money, all insurance has been paid, the drivers have received every cent of their purses and point funds and all employees have received every cent of their paychecks. All vendors were paid with the exception of contested amounts.

"I don't intend to break my arm patting myself on the back," Ghirardi said. "But we were able to run two complete seasons in a row, which hadn't been done for a while out here. I won't deny there were problems, but I wouldn't have been there if I hadn't been paying bills."

Ghirardi served as the director of competition at the track in 1986 and was the promoter the last two years. He is out of the racing business since the Doolins sold the track to Harry Alton Jr. in November. Dennis Hicks is the new promoter at Tri-City.

"I lived up to the terms of my lease with the Doolins and I didn't leave owing them a bunch of money," Ghirardi said. "I think like this can hurt me and cost me some business. I don't know if it has yet. I felt like I ran a good, clean program at Tri-City and I just want my name cleared."

15 persons, 2 teams to be inducted May 5

By Al Barnes
Correspondent

GRANITE CITY — Fifteen individual athletes and two teams have been elected for induction into the Granite City Sports Hall of Fame.

The third annual induction dinner will be held May 5 at the St. Gregory Armenian Hall.

Receiving enough votes from the Granite City Sports Hall of Fame Association were: Leo Padgett (basketball and football); Tom Carmody (football and wrestling); Ken Parker (football, basketball and track); Al Mance (softball); Frank Knight (basketball); Harold L. Hanson (football); Rudy Diak (football, baseball and boxing); Cameron Van Buskirk (football and basketball); Donald G. Pindell (football); Terry Tessary Sr. (golf); Carl Grunwald (football, wrestling and track); Audelle (Harcourt Breckner (soccer); Ham Gregory (baseball); Mary Pash-off (bowling); and Betty Jean Logan, a 1944 Granite City High School graduate who is an authority on women's athletics and has authored three books on the subject.

The two teams to be inducted are the unbeaten Granite City High School football team (1928) and the 1948 Warrior baseball

team, which won the state championship.

Others nominated but not receiving enough votes this year were Willard Portell, Andy Timko, Ed Rich, Carl Buchler, Nick Petrillo, Jack Fricker, Cliff Hoedbeck, William Morris, Dorothy (Jones) McMullen, John Selmeier and Randall Robertson. The voting was done Monday.

Tickets to the dinner are \$15 each or two for \$25. As in the past two years, the public is urged to buy tickets to eight. It was decided by the Hall of Fame committee to shorten the program as much as possible by eliminating the reading of the inductees' profiles, since that information will be available in the dinner program.

Jim Bolen of KMOV-TV (Channel 4) will serve as Master of Ceremonies. A scramble golf tournament will again be held the day of the dinner at Arlington Golf Club. Les Thompson is the tournament chairman and asks that all golfers interested to contact him at 875-7636.

Frank Kraus is the chairman of the Hall of Fame and Thompson is the vice chairman. Added to the committee this year are Marvin Wallace, Rudy Diak, Keith Gehring, Dr. Dave Donbek and Tom Schogley.

Ames aims for success with O'Fallon program

By Dave Whaley
Executive sports editor

GRANITE CITY — Dave Ames doesn't mind assisting one of the best in the business. But he's also pleased to be in charge himself.

Ames, who has served as an assistant to Gene Baker through seven state championships with the Warrior boys soccer program for the past 16 years, at this second year as the head coach of the girls program at O'Fallon High School.

He has yet to beat Baker, having lost a 5-0 decision last season and suffering two losses this week to the Lady Warriors, 2-0 and 3-0. But being a head coach is something Ames, who still teaches at GCHS, has looked forward to.

"It's just nice to be in charge of your own program," he said after Monday's loss at Granite City. "It's hard work, but I knew that when I took the job."

Ames had served as a track coach for the Warriors for 15 years when he got a call from O'Fallon a year and a half ago. The Panthers were starting a girls soccer program and Ames was their man. It was only a matter of time for Ames, who along with fellow assistant Mel Bunling has formed with Baker a trio which has overseen the vaunted Warrior boys program since 1973.

"I had been in track a long time and had enjoyed it," Ames said. "But this was a new expe-

Dave Ames

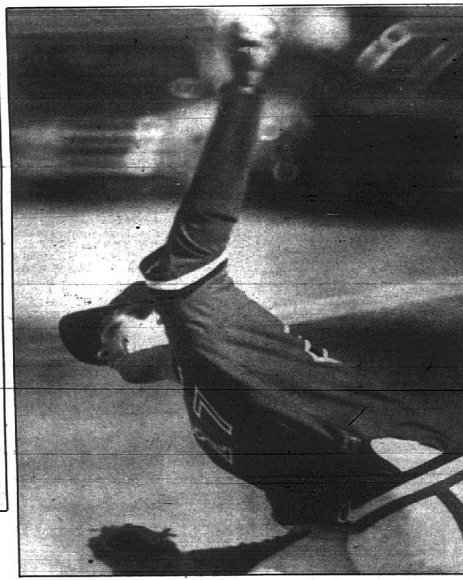
Lady Warrior scoring

Player	G	A	Pts.
Jennifer Moniz	5	3	13
Amber Witter	5	0	10
Jennifer Debevoise	4	1	9
Addie Lenzi	2	2	6
Cheryl Stacey	2	0	5
Sherry Simpson	1	2	4
Tia Rice	1	1	4
Lia Mendoza	1	1	3
Angela Blason	1	0	2
Jennifer Harper	1	0	2
Rene Walker	1	0	2
Beth Epperson	1	0	1
Holly Taylor	1	0	1

rience and it has been fun." There was plenty of fun last year when the Panthers went 9-5 and Ames was named the Region Five Coach of the Year. O'Fallon advanced to the sec-

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Wells keeps Warrior bats struggling



By Dave Whaley
Executive sports editor

BELLEVILLE — The Warriors have won some games this year even without a consistently strong hitting staff. But they went to the Wells once too often Tuesday.

Belleville East senior right-hander Fory Wells kept the Warrior bats mostly silent again on Tuesday, striking out 11 in pitching a five-hit complete game as the Lancers won 6-1. The Warriors fell to 1-1 in Southwestern Conference play and 5-3 overall while East is 1-1 and 3-2.

"Wells has been inconsistent this year," said Lancer coach Larry Patton. "He had a bad outing the last time, but I was very pleased with him today."

Wells kept the Warriors off balance all day, and Granite City just hasn't found a hitting groove yet. Hitters like Kory Burton (.167), Keith Matlock (.167), Chris Ryan (.063) and Jeff Kohler (.063) have yet to get going.

"We're just very ineffective at the plate," said Warrior coach Bob Stegmeier. "Wells threw fairly hard and had a good curve, but he wasn't that overpowering. I doubt he threw 90 miles an hour. When we swung, we hit some balls hard. But we look like we're afraid at the plate."

The Lancers, meanwhile, pounded out 12 hits against starter and loser Mark Begando (1-2) and reliever Jamie Needham. East scored five of its six runs with two outs and seemed to favor the hole between third and shortstop.

"We had a team batting average of .170 coming into this game," said Patton. "I was pleased not only to get a few hits, but to get so many clutch hits with two outs. And, yes, we

seemed to find that hole quite a bit."

"Begando threw very well," said Stegmeier. "I'm very encouraged with him. He has really improved from last year."

The Warriors scored first when Chris Bartling led off the game with a single, stole second and scored on Kurt Hodges' double. Hodges is now batting .343 with four RBIs. But the Warriors did not get the ball out of the infield again until Joe Wallace singled to right with two outs in the fifth.

East got an unearned run in the second when Hodges' Jon Stegmeier's two-out grounder got through him for a two-base error. Scott Wallace then doubled to left to tie the game. The Lancers took the lead for good when Cory Lewis doubled to lead off the fourth and scored on Sinovic's single through the hole with one out. Then with a runner at second and two outs in the fifth, Wells struck out Tim Begando pitch through the shortstop hole again to make it 3-1.

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Solid Lady Lancers club Lady Warriors, 12-1

By Dan Schwandner
Correspondent

GRANITE CITY — Belleville East rolled into town Tuesday and then proceeded to roll all over the Lady Warriors.

With ace Lancer pitcher Mikki McPherson on the hill, Granite City went down 12-1 in a five-inning contest at Wilson Park. The Lady Warriors are 2-3, 1-1 in Southwestern Conference play.

Pitching was the key in Tuesday's contest. The Lady Warriors used three pitchers who allowed eight hits and 10 walks. McPherson, on the other hand, pitched all five innings, giving up only two hits while walking no one and striking out 12.

All three losses have been games that junior pitcher Kim Pawlak has not started. The Lady Warriors have also lost all three by 10 or more runs in five innings.

Junior Cheryl Holtkamp started Tuesday and gave up five runs in one inning of work to take the loss. Pawlak, after pitching a seven-inning 5-3 victory over Edwardsville on Monday, tossed two innings against the Lancers, allowing only one

run. Freshman Mia Puhse, who is 0-2 this season, pitched the final two innings, allowing six runs and issuing six walks.

Warrior coach Jim Davis said his young pitching staff just needs some more work.

"We've had to give our young pitchers a look, and right now it looks as though they're just not ready," he said.

Unless someone steps in rather soon, Davis said his solution would probably be to pitch Pawlak as much as possible.

"I've talked with Kim," Davis said. "She will pitch (today) against Belleville West and then we'll make a decision. But for us to be competitive right now, we have to use Kim as a pitcher."

With the victory, the Lancers improved to 6-1 on the season, 2-0 in the conference. Even without his pitching problems, Davis conceded it would be difficult to beat East.

"We think we have a shot to win every game, but we knew we'd have our hands full. Both Belleville teams are outstanding. We just need to get a little bit better. We're just not quite as good as those teams."

Lancer coach Rita Menke said although she has only two starters back from last year's squad, her team is highly competitive because of McPherson and her other starter, junior Ramona Nunez.

"Our team hasn't played a lot together, but when you have good pitching it makes all the difference in the world for us," she said.

Davis said McPherson is probably the top pitcher in the Southwestern Conference. However, Menke said her ace is impressive because she can do more than just throw strikes.

"She's a good all-around athlete," she said. "She fields the ball well, she's a good hitter and she throws different pitches."

Belleville got all the offense it needed in the first inning. Sophomore Jody Goacher was hit by a pitch leading off and advanced to second on a hit by senior Vickie Grawlich. Both runners advanced on a ground ball, and Holtkamp walked junior Tammi Obermeier and McPherson to drive home the first run.

But Nunez hit Junior Felder's choice to drive home the second

run and Holtkamp threw a wild pitch to allow the third run to score. The fourth run scored when McPherson crossed the plate as Warrior catcher Michelle Bequette unsuccessfully tried to retire a runner stealing second.

After scoring two tallies in the second and one in the fourth, the Lancers completed the rout with five runs in the fifth of Puhse. Five walks and an error by shortstop Tiffany Winters caused most of the damage as East only had one hit — a bunt single — and did not hit the ball out of the infield.

Granite City scored its only run in the first inning. Winters led off with a hit just inside the infield and advanced to second on Pawlak's sacrifice. Pawlak reached safely and Winters scored on a ground ball off the bat of junior first baseman Jennifer Cavanaugh.

The Lady Warriors will face Belleville West on Thursday at 5:30 p.m. at Belleville West.

Sports programs hanging in balance at Edwardsville

By Greg Shashack
and Pete Hayes
Staff affiliates

EDWARDSVILLE — The voters have spoken and the message has hit athletics at Edwardsville High School with all the subtlety of a kick in the teeth.

A proposed tax referendum calling for a property tax increase of 75 cents on \$100 assessed valuation was defeated 5,743 to 4,775 in the April 4 general election. The defeat will result in the enactment of \$1.2 million in cuts approved by the District 7 Board of Education.

Included in the budget cuts are all extra-curricular activities at all the district's schools which means the elimination of the sports program at Edwardsville High School.

"There is really a somber feeling around here right now," said Edwardsville football coach Craig Louer, who guided the Tigers into the second round of the Class 4A playoffs this season. "It's very sad. I think there were a lot of misconceptions by the voters. A vote in the hand of ignorance is incredibly dangerous."

Before the election, there was some speculation that some sports programs could be kept alive through private funds. But school board president Gene Vanek has said private funding of individual programs is not an option. The Edwardsville High School Booster Club put forth a proposal to raise enough private funds to keep all sports programs going, but the school board has not acted on that. It would take approximately



Mike Waldo

\$160,000, which is eight times as much as the Boosters raised last year.

First-year basketball coach Mike Waldo, a graduate of Granite City North High School, may find himself watching instead of coaching next winter. The former Alton Marquette coach led the Tigers to a 21-8 record and the Class AA Collinsville Sectional championship game, where they lost to eventual state champion East St. Louis Lincoln.

"I think everyone is disappointed," students and coaches," Waldo said. "It's a sad thing. I think it's bad for a school district without extra-curricular activities. They're big in some ways as reading, writing and arithmetic."

Waldo led Marquette to its first regional basketball championship in 1988 and left there to coach basketball at Edwardsville when Bud Vallino resigned. Wal-

do wouldn't speculate about the future of the Tiger basketball program.

"It's too early to say," Waldo said. "We'll have to wait until we get more information on what we can do. There's been no official word, but it would probably have to come pretty soon because of scheduling and budgeting for next season."

There is much hope, but little optimism.

"I'm hoping they can work something out," said junior Mark Little a starter on the Tiger basketball and baseball teams. "I've played sports as long as I can remember, and I don't want to stop now. If they don't have them here, I'm leaving."

Apparently he won't be alone. "I imagine most of my juniors will leave," Louer said. "The football program at Edwardsville doesn't exist anymore. It's that simple. The parents of these kids want them to have an opportunity to play. I can't see any of them staying around."

The windfall of athletic talent leaving Edwardsville could benefit private schools such as Metro East Lutheran, Belleville Althoff and Marquette.

"All of those schools are options," Louer said. "The kids will go wherever they have the opportunity to play."

In addition to the success of the football and basketball teams, the Tiger baseball team has been one of the best in the area under Tom Pile in recent years. Edwardsville also has highly successful programs in golf, tennis, wrestling and all girls sports.

Wigfall All-American; going to SIUE

Venice native Wilfred Wigfall has been named to the honorable mention All-American basketball team in Division I of the National Junior College Athletic Association.

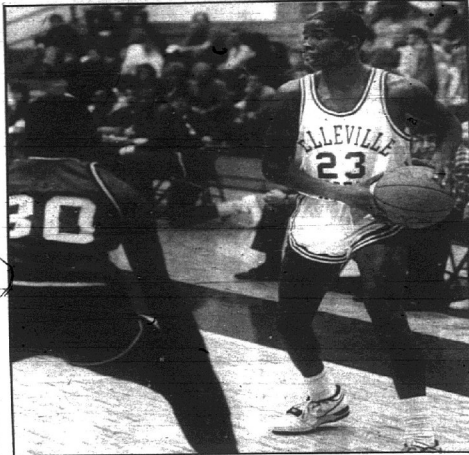
Wigfall, who signed Wednesday to play at SIUE, is the son of Robert and Beatrice Wigfall of Venice. He averaged 15.3 points this season for the 23-10 Dutchmen. The sophomore also was named to the Region XXIV all-regional and all-tournament teams.

As a freshman, Wigfall helped the Dutchmen win a school-record 28 games, the Region XXIV championship and fourth place in the NJCAA national tournament.

"My teammates are a big part of my success," said Wigfall. "If I make things happen, it's because they helped me. I wouldn't be anywhere without the rest of the guys."

"There's still room for me to improve, but coach (Jay) Harrington has taught me to be a team player and not a ball player. I don't want to just go out and play. I want to help my team to win."

Wigfall was a senior starter on the Venice Red Devils' 1987 state championship team. He signed Wednesday to play the next two years for Larry Garrigan's Cougar team. More on that will appear in a later edition.



Wilfred Wigfall

Trojanettes roll to easy victory at home

MADISON — The Trojanettes almost doubled up on their nearest competition in rolling to an easy victory on their home track Monday.

A Madison rolled-up 96 points while second-place Belleville Althoff had only 53. The Trojanettes picked up seven firsts and seven seconds, finishing in the top two in all but three events in the quad meet. Dupo had 44 points and Lebanon had 19 to round out the field.

Three of the five relays went to the Trojanettes. They won the 800 medley (Tramia Burt, Yvonne Sanders, Katrina Garrett and Melissa Davenport) with a time of 2:13.6; the 400 (Sharon Browley, Garrett, LaGloria Marshall and Vivian Turner) in 1:59.9. Other individual firsts went to sophomore Marvis Jones in the shot put (28-3); senior Debra Stakely in the 800 meters (2:48); Turner in the 100 meters (13.2); junior Deanna Brown in the 200 hurdles (27.3); and sophomore Katrina Garrett in the 200 meters (27.8).

Second went to senior Sharon Browley the long jump (14-4); Jennifer McKert won at (14-8); sophomore Arion Dickens in the shot put (28-5); sophomore Tramia Burt in the high jump (4-6, second to Markert's 4-7); sophomore Theresa Hampt in the discus (74-8, second to

Dupo's B.J. Lopp at 75-4); sophomore Deanna Frey in the 100 hurdles (18.1, second to Markert's 17.2); Frey in the 300 meters (57.6); and Burt in the 200 meters (29.7).

The Trojan boys team was second in a five-team meet at home Monday. Althoff won with 78 points while Madison was next with 57. East St. Louis Assumption (46), Dupo and Lebanon (43 each) rounded out the field.

Senior Jessie Leonard was again the Trojan's top performer with three firsts. He won the 100 meters (11.4), the 400 meters (22.7) and the long jump (20-7). Madison also got firsts from Robert Fritchard in the shot put (39-1) and Darnell Dandridge in the triple jump (39-64). The Trojan placed second in the 800 relay with a time of 1:41.7. Althoff won that event in 1:36.2.

Schedule

Thursday, April 13
BASEBALL: Belleville West at Granite City 10:45 a.m.
SOFTBALL: Granite City at Belleville West 4:30 p.m.
GIRLS SOCCER: Alton at Granite City 4:30 p.m.

Friday, April 14
BASEBALL: Cahokia at Granite City 4 p.m.
Metro East Lutheran at Granite City 4 p.m.
SOFTBALL: Metro East Lutheran at Madison 4 p.m.
BOYS TENNIS: Highland East at Granite City 4 p.m.

Saturday, April 15
BASEBALL: Granite City at Jerseyville 11 a.m.
GIRLS SOCCER: Collinsville at Granite City 11 a.m.

Sunday, April 16
SOFTBALL: Madison at Granite City 1 p.m.
GIRLS SOCCER: McCluer North at Granite City 4 p.m.

Monday, April 17
TRUCK: East St. Louis Assumption at Madison 3:30 p.m.
BOYS TENNIS: Granite City at East St. Louis 4 p.m.

Tuesday, April 18
BASEBALL: East St. Louis at Granite City 4:30 p.m.
SOFTBALL: Granite City at East St. Louis 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 19
BASEBALL: Belleville West at Granite City 4 p.m.

Scores

Thursday, April 6
BASEBALL: Granite City 4, Alton 2
SOFTBALL: Granite City 1, Alton 7
BOYS TENNIS: Granite City 7, Cahokia 0

Friday, April 7
SOFTBALL: Wood River 15, Granite City 2
GIRLS SOCCER: Granite City 2, O'Fallon 0

Saturday, April 8
SOFTBALL: Granite City 2, O'Fallon 0
GIRLS SOCCER: Granite City 3, O'Fallon 0

Sunday, April 9
BASEBALL: Belleville East 6, Granite City 1
SOFTBALL: Belleville East 12, Granite City 1

Standings

Southwestern Conference			
Team	Conf.	Total	GP
Belleville West	2	0	3
Granite City	1	1	3
Belleville East	1	1	3
Alton	1	1	3
East St. Louis	0	0	3
Collinsville	0	0	2

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Alton	0	0	2

Wrestling cancelled

The pro wrestling event scheduled for Saturday at the Granite City Campus gym has been cancelled due to lack of ticket sales. Full ticket refunds are available for everyone who did buy tickets for the event, which was sponsored by the Granite City Jaycees.

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Area residents will have an opportunity to learn basic principles of safe hunting at a Department of Conservation hunter safety course scheduled from 8 to 9 p.m. April 13 and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 15 at the VFW Hall, 21st and Washington, in Granite City.

A 1976 state law requires that all hunters under 16 successfully complete the hunter safety course before receiving their first hunting license. Participants completing the course receive a Hunter Safety Certification verifying they have passed the course.

"This will be an excellent

opportunity for young hunters who need the course in order to qualify for their first hunting license," said Bill Sinkus, conservation education representative. "It also can be beneficial for beginning hunters older than 16, even though they are required to take the course to be eligible for a license."

The 10-hour course includes instruction in wildlife management, firearm safety, hunting ethics, game identification, first aid, survival techniques and regulations.

For more information, contact the coordinating instructor at 876-7923.



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Sports shorts

27 local players on SISL squads

Twenty-six players from Granite City and one from Madison have been selected to play for the Southern Illinois Soccer League select teams.

Boys from 20 different southern Illinois communities were picked at recent tryouts to play for teams ages 13 through 17 at league tournaments in Champaign, where they will compete for individual spots on the Illinois pool teams.

The players will receive training at an Illinois State University camp June 2-4. They will then compete in late June against players from 12 midwest states for spots on the Region 2 team.

Larren Mosby of Madison was picked, as were the following players from Granite City:

Bernhard Anderson, Jonathan Birdsong, Larry Bridges, Russell Buchek, Nathan Cholewick, Matt Cook, Jamie Dake, Eric Davis, Timothy Hartwick, Timothy Henson, Eric Jones, Kevin Kasproch, Matthew Little, Jason Mathenia, John Nizinski, James Petrocki, Shawn Petroski, Richard Repp, Pat Rich, Jeff Ridenour, Jason Scrum, Erik Simpson, Larry Strader, Dan Terrell, Mark Winfield and Jeff Witter.

Class D tournament in Madison in May

A Class D men's softball tournament will be held in Madison on May 12-14.

The tournament, sponsored by the Jacobsmeyer's women's team, will be held at the 3rd Street Diamond. An entry fee of \$100 is due by May 5. Prize money will be awarded based on 18 teams entering.

To enter a team, call Diane at 877-5561 or Paula at 876-2725.

Decals on sale at park office

Youth sports decals are on sale in the Wilson Park office at a price of \$12.50 for 125 decals.

Managers in the Granite City Park District baseball youth girls softball programs may buy the decals and have their players resell them for \$1 each in order to raise money for their team. A limited number are available and will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis.

Park sponsors trip to Busch on May 11

The Granite City Park District will sponsor the first trip of the season to Busch Stadium to see the Cardinals play the San Diego Padres on May 11.

The bus will leave the Wilson Park ice rink at 11 a.m. for the 12:35 p.m. game. The cost for the ticket and bus fare will be \$7, the same as last year. Park district residents will be given priority and each person can only sign up two people. Non-residents will be placed on a waiting list.

The tickets will go on sale at 8 a.m. on April 20. For more information, call the Wilson Park office at 877-3059.

BAC offering baseball camp

When it comes to directing baseball camps, Van Smith doesn't strike out.

Smith, head baseball coach at Belleville Area College and the director of BAC's summer baseball camps, is excited about his first year as camp director at BAC.

"I expect to have a good camp this year," said Smith. "With the fine facilities at the college, it should be a great experience for everybody."

For further information about the summer baseball camps, call 235-2700, extension 271, or toll-free in Illinois at 1-800-BAC-5131, extension 271.

Three camp sessions are offered: June 12-16 and June 19-23 for boys 9-14; and June 26-30 for boys 15-18. Cost of the camp is \$45 per week.

Smith came to BAC this year after running his own private baseball camp for five years, coaching more than 5,000 players, serving as the head baseball coach at McKendree College for 18 years and being named Illinois Coach of the Year in 1976, 1979 and 1982 by the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics.

Smith said he enjoys the opportunity to help develop skills in young players who may one day play on a BAC baseball team.

"I want to baseball camp as a boy myself," said Smith. "It's important for a young athlete to be exposed to proper technique and fundamentals."

Keith Sanders, assistant baseball coach at BAC, will serve as

assistant coach for the baseball camps. Additional coaching and instruction will come from players on BAC's baseball team.

Several openings in park leagues

There are still openings in several park district leagues for the coming season.

There are openings in the Men's 2A League which plays on Sundays at 1 p.m., 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. The entry fee is \$150 per team and non-resident adults pay an additional \$17.50 per person. Anyone interested in entering a team should contact the park office at 877-3059. The season begins April 24.

There are also openings in the Granite City Park District T-Ball League for boys born in 1981.

Boys ages 14-15 interested in playing park district baseball should sign up at the park office by April 30.

Home Plate Bar & Grill has softball openings

Home Plate Bar & Grill, 4015 Pontoon Road, still has openings for its summer softball leagues. League play is scheduled to begin the week of April 17. Team entry fees are \$375. For more information, call 931-4497.

Park girls softball registration taken

The Granite City Park District is accepting team registrations for its girls softball program.

Entry fee for the 12-game season is \$125 per team, with an additional \$10 assessed to non-residents. The entry fee covers a 12-game schedule and game balls. Divisions and age groups are as follows: Atom; 8-10 years old; Bantam, 11-12 years old; and Midget, 13-14 years old.

For more information, call Wake Barber at the Wilson Park Office, 877-3059.

Ladies slow-pitch teams are needed

Ladies slow-pitch softball teams are needed for the fifth annual pre-season tournament in Mitchell.

The first 12 teams will be accepted and will have a five-game guarantee for the tournament, which will be held April 22-23 (April 29-30 in case of rain).

For more information, call Don Loyde at 931-1404 or Tony Zolner at 931-4568.

Prep baseball stats

LEADING HITTERS (5 AB)

Player/Team	AB	R	H	AVG
Crawford, Columbia	13	8	10	.882
Marshall, Alton	12	3	3	.387
Schlemmer, Columbia	6	3	4	.667
Jackson, Columbia	5	2	3	.600
Douclet, Alton	12	3	7	.583
Wetzel, Mascoutah	15	6	8	.533
Baldridge, Columbia	10	6	7	.500
Quinn, St. Louis	10	2	5	.500
Hubbard, Alton	10	2	5	.500
Mudd, Edwardsville	8	4	4	.500
Inman, Columbia	8	4	4	.500
Musser, Alton	19	7	9	.474
Wiese, Waterloo	19	7	9	.474
Borman, Wood River	11	2	5	.455
Conners, Alton	20	3	9	.450
Glazebrook, O'Fallon	16	6	8	.444
Conner, O'Fallon	9	1	4	.444
Wise, Collinsville	16	7	8	.438
Wolfe, Columbia	14	5	6	.429
Lynn, Edwardsville	14	4	6	.429
Wolfe, Columbia	7	3	3	.429
Schneider, Gibault	12	3	5	.417
Riggs, Triad	10	3	5	.417

RUNS BATTED IN — Brett Crawford, Columbia, 10; Chris Bocher, Wood River, 9; Ken Conner, O'Fallon, 6; Ken May, Columbia, 6; Mike Lloyd, Waterloo, 5; Alexander Walker, Granite City, 5; Untrass Quinn, St. Louis, 5; Derrick Raney, Mascoutah, 5; Matt Peskar, Alton, 5; Darren Baltz, Columbia, 5.

HOME RUNS — Brian Daubach, Belleville, 1; John Pawloski, Alton, 1; Eric Baldridge, Columbia, 1; Ken May, Columbia, 1; Kurt Hodges, Granite City, 1; Alexander Walker, Jerseyville, 1; Brian Mossman, Alton, 1; Chris Haves, Jerseyville, 1; Scott Schilling, Gibault, 1; Eric Jennings, Edwardsville, 1; Tony Margherio, Edwardsville, 1; Darren Baltz, Columbia, 1; Scott Lamer, Jerseyville, 1; Mark Little, Edwardsville, 1; Kyle Hacke, Roxana, 1; RICH SCHARJAN, GRANITE CITY, 1.

STOLEN BASES — Brad Wiese, Waterloo, 8; Brian Garrett, O'Fallon, 8; Brad Brown, Jerseyville, 6; Alexander Walker, Jerseyville, 6; Brian Borman, Wood River, 5; Todd Graef, Highland, 5; Scott Weiner, Jerseyville, 5; Herma Wilson, O'Fallon, 4; Nate Mudd, Edwardsville, 3; J.J. Soarba, Edwardsville, 3; Derrick Raney, Mascoutah, 3; Derek Ditzler, O'Fallon, 3; Herbert Cathion, St. Louis, 3; CHAS LIGNOU, GRANITE CITY, 3; DENNIS LABORAY, GRANITE CITY, 3; Jay Cryder, Highland, 3; Tom Price, Wood River, 3; Kevin Hoffman, Waterloo, 3; Derek Birchler, Highland, 3; KORY BURTON, GRANITE CITY, 3; Scott Lamer, Jerseyville, 3.

PITCHING (1 Decision)

Waterloo, 1,000, 2-0; Brian Farmer, Wood River, 1,000, 2-0; Todd Pransky, Triad, 1,000, 2-0; Dave Jones, Edwardsville, 1,000, 2-0; Tim Meyer, Gibault, 1,000, 1-0; Brian Gibbs, Triad, 1,000, 1-0; Mark Jackson, Columbia, 1,000, 1-0; Randy Rippelmeyer, Waterloo, 1,000, 1-0; Darren Baltz, Columbia, 1,000, 1-0; Mike Lawrence, Jerseyville, 1,000, 1-0; Tad Smith, Belleville, 1,000, 1-0; TIM BLACK, GRANITE CITY, 1,000, 1-0; DARREN HUFFMAN, GRANITE CITY, 1,000, 1-0; Mark Dolron, Alton, 1,000, 1-0; Jeff Munier, Mascoutah, 1,000, 1-0; Joey Porter, Alton, 1,000, 1-0; Damon Williams, St. Louis, 1,000, 1-0; John Albert, Mascoutah, 1,000, 1-0; Matt Koesterer, Red Bud, 1,000, 1-0; Pitts, Lincoln, 1,000, 1-0; Tom Price, Edwardsville, 1,000, 1-0; Mark McClaine, Jerseyville, 1,000, 1-0; KEVIN WOZNAK, GRANITE CITY, 1,000, 1-0; Kevin Hoffman, Waterloo, 1,000, 1-0; Pat Connaux, Alton, 1,000, 1-0; JAMIE NEEDHAM, GRANITE CITY, 1,000, 1-0.	1	0	10.00	0.00
ERA (Avg., Runs) Chris Jones, Jerseyville, 0.00, 0; Craig Rangel, Jerseyville, 0.00, 0; Ed Altman, Roxana, 0.00, 0; Kevin Hoffman, Waterloo, 0.00, 0; KEVIN WOZNAK, GRANITE CITY, 0.00, 0.				

ERA (Avg. Run) — Chris Jones, Jerseyville, 0.00, 0; Craig Raney, Edwardsville, 0.00, 0; Dave Jones, Edwardsville, 0.00, 0; Alex Allen, Roxana, 0.00, 0; Kevin Hoffman, Waterloo, 0.00, 0; KEVIN WOZNAK, GRANITE CITY, 0.00, 0.

0.00, 0; Mark McClaine, Jerseyville, 0.00, 0; Mike Clark, Collinsville, 0.00, 0; Reid Huber, Belleville, 0.00, 0.

STRIKEOUT AVG. (Avg. 50's) — Mark McClaine, Jerseyville, 17.50, 15; Brian Gibbs, Triad, 13.70, 9; Ed Allen, Belleville, 12.25, 7; Chris Jones, Jerseyville, 11.67, 18; Gary Beggs, Belleville, 11.15, 18; Cory Schilling, Wood River, 10.18, 16; John Albert, Mascoutah, 10.00, 10; Adam Lynn, Edwardsville, 8.91, 14; Brian Farmer, Wood River, 8.83, 13; Reid Huber, Belleville, 8.75, 7; Tom Price, Edwardsville, 8.40, 12; Dennis Davis, Waterloo, 8.28, 11; Shannon Lutz, O'Fallon, 8.00, 10; Matt Koesterer, Red Bud, 8.00, 9; Shane Guthrie, O'Fallon, 7.92, 12; MARK SEGANDO, GRANITE CITY, 7.50, 15; Tom Mueller, Valmeyer, 7.50, 15; Chris Neff, Waterloo, 7.43, 12; Tom Bruessgeman, Highland, 7.00, 10; Joey Porter, Alton, 7.00, 9; KEVIN WOZNAK, GRANITE CITY, 7.00, 8; Nick Amann, Gibault, 7.00, 8.

SAVES — Reid Huber, Belleville, 2; Tom Price, Edwardsville, 1; Joey Porter, Alton, 1; Trevor Pizzo, Wood River, 1; Randy Rippelmeyer, Waterloo, 1; Pat Connaux, Alton, 1; JAMIE NEEDHAM, GRANITE CITY, 1; Herbert Cathion, St. Louis, 1; Marc Tuttle, Edwardsville, 1.

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Wells

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Harshay doubled, both in pitch-hitting roles. But Wells finished with his 11th strikeout, getting Chad Lignou swinging. Every starter except Barling and Hodges fanned at least once. The Warriors have struck out 54 times in eight games.

"I had them in at 6 this morning for batting practice," Stegmeyer said Wednesday. "It wasn't punishment because we can't practice after school due to the parent-teacher conferences. But we don't even look that good in batting practice."

NOTES: Granite City hosts Belleville West in a double-header today at 4:30 p.m. The first game counts in the conference standings, and Tim Black will pitch. The Warriors host Cahokia tomorrow at 4 p.m. and play a double-header in Jerseyville on Saturday at 11 a.m. In other SWC action tonight, Alton beat Collinsville 7-6 in eight innings while Belleville West slipped by East St. Louis 8-7.

Ball Park has new courts; World Cup tickets available

The Ball Park Sports Center in O'Fallon announces the addition of two new outdoor sand volleyball courts and a bier garden with viewing decks. Applications for the spring league, which begins May 7, are now being accepted.

Ball Park also has a limited supply of tickets for the U.S. vs. Costa Rica World Cup qualifier to be played at St. Louis Soccer Park at 8 p.m. April 30. Ticket prices are \$12, \$10, \$8 and \$6 and may be obtained from Mike Moore by calling 632-5900 between 9 and 11 p.m. weekdays or 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on weekends.

Ames

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tional semifinals before losing to Collinsville. The Panthers had an all-sectional player in Nanci Shaffer who has graduated. Most of last year's players returned this year, but it's been a slow start for the Panthers, who were 0-3 heading into Wednesday's game at Wood River.

"I was a little surprised with the good record last year," Ames said. "A few of these girls had played soccer growing up. But what we need to get them doing is what the girls in Granite City and Collinsville have always done, and that is play in the off-season."

Although he hasn't exactly enjoyed the outcomes, Ames has enjoyed the challenge of coaching against Baker. "It's always good to coach against good people and Gene is one of the best," Ames said. "We've had a pretty tough schedule with Alton and Granite City. I hope we're better by the time we play Collinsville."

NOTES: It's always assumed that Granite City and Collinsville are the only two area powers in girls soccer. The Lady Warriors

will get their first look at the new challenger today when the 7-0 Alton Redwings come to town for a 4:30 p.m. game.

Alton is led by freshman twin sisters Camie and Carrie Bechtold. Camie has 10 goals in seven games, and Carrie has a goal and seven assists. Sophomore goalkeeper Kathy Klope has five shutouts. Redwing coach Mick Brown starts only one senior and has just two seniors on the roster. Alton starts four freshmen, four sophomores, two juniors and senior Melba McAfoos, the daughter of Alton athletic director and basketball coach Stan McAfoos.

"They have three real quality players," said Ames, whose Panthers lost 3-0 to the Redwings. "And the rest of them are role players who have done their jobs. They are for real."

"The sectional is up in Alton this year, so this game is an important one for us," said Baker. The Lady Warriors (4-1) host Collinsville on Saturday at 1 p.m., host McCluer North on Monday at 4 p.m., then travel to Alton for a return engagement on April 26.

Mon-Clair

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Rich Takmanian: A 1981 graduate of North, Takmanian figures to be a utility player.

DePew said he is still trying to get in contact with a few others, notably pitcher Ernie Gray, a 1986 GCHS graduate now at Greenville college; Doug Rains, a 1979 North graduate who could also pitch; and Tim Patterson, a 1987 GCHS graduate who can provide a dangerous bat.

One player who would be a big help but likely won't play is Todd Hintersper, perhaps the best hitter Granite City has produced in recent years. The 1987 grad is a sophomore at Rend Lake College.

"I talked to Todd and he didn't sound too interested," DePew said. "I think he's going to be playing somewhere else this summer. But the rosters can change right up through July. I would like to get another middle infielder. We're going to be thin there, especially when Jamie Hogan leaves."

"We might have a tryout later on when the weather gets warmer," DePew said. "But we're going OK. I think we'll be competitive, and if we do all right the first couple of years that will help us get more players. But we could use more pitching."

DePew urges anyone who has played college baseball or who had a good high school career to call him in the evenings at 876-

7442. He is planning a meeting at his parents' home, 1 Blue Spruce Court in Granite City, Monday at 8 p.m. for all team members.

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